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RECIPROCITY BILL SLATED TO PASS.

Congress Will Heed the President's Recommendations as to Maximum and Minimum Tariffs.

TO BE TRADE WAR CLUB.

Executive Retaliation for Germany and Other Recalcitrant Nations Provided in New Law.

BY RAYMOND.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 6.—[Special.]—Reciprocity by means of maximum and minimum tariff, on the basis of the suggestion made in the president's message, is likely to be the most notable piece of legislation by the Fifty-ninth congress, not even excepting the railway rate law, which is expected to be on the statute books before the end of this session.

President Roosevelt did not expatiate on the desirability of the maximum and minimum tariff in his message, because, as I am told, he had received assurances from the leaders of both houses that they favored the idea. Our foreign relations are involved to such an extent that it was not deemed wise to call general attention to this subject through the medium of an extended discussion in his word to congress.

Yet today Senator Lodge of Massachusetts, the acknowledged spokesman of the administration, introduced a maximum and minimum tariff bill in the senate. At the same time, I was told by one of the ways and means committee of the house his colleagues almost surely would adopt a similar bill and urge its passage.

There is a vast significance in these two statements, for if such a bill is passed direct reciprocity with any nation will be immediately possible, and the great American commonwealth will have in its hands already fashioned a club with which to beat down the commercial hostility of Germany and other nations.

Now at Mercy of Rivals.

It was only a few days ago that Germany notified us of her intention to withdraw from us the privileges of her minimum tariff. We had given her concessions under the third section of the Dingley law on a few articles enumerated. Germany insisted that the United States was not entitled to the benefits of its minimum tariff rate on all articles while this country gave concessions on only a few things, many of which the European country does not export to any great extent.

When Russia some time ago, in a spirit of pique because Secretary Gage enforced the discriminating duty on sugar against her, barred out practically all our manufactured articles by imposing her maximum tariff, we were absolutely helpless. We had no means of striking a retaliatory blow.

So, too, the Germans know well that under existing conditions in a tariff war between the two countries we would be the greatest sufferers, because our foodstuffs would have to come into competition with similar commodities from countries enjoying the lowest rate of duty, while at best Germany would suffer only from the maximum rates on a few articles provided for in the general reciprocity clause known as section 3 of the Dingley law.

President Wants Effective Club.

It was this condition which induced the president, in a message which studiously avoided any suggestion toward tariff revision, and which, in fact, argued against such departure, to say:

"It should be considered whether it be desirable that the tariff laws should provide for applying as against or in favor of any other nation in the maximum and minimum tariff rates established by congress, so as to secure a certain reciprocity of treatment between other nations and ourselves."

Reciprocity by means of maximum and minimum tariff is the simplest thing in the world. It is even easier than falling off a log, and anyone who has tried it knows how easy that is. As proposed by Senator Lodge, there will not be the slightest disarrangement or readjustment of the existing Dingley tariff. All that will be necessary will be to add about 25 per cent to the existing rates. This will create a maximum tariff and the present schedules will become minimum.

Thereafter if Germany or any other nation gives us the benefit of their lowest tariff rates they will get exactly what they pay us now, no more and no less. If they discriminate against us, if they force American products to pay maximum rates while commodities from more favored nations pay minimum rates, our higher tariff, swollen by 25 per cent from the Dingley rates, will go into effect.

Gives No Legislative Functions.

Under this maximum and minimum tariff scheme the president is not burdened with any legislative duties whatever, such as the general reciprocity features of the Dingley law, which now have expired by limitation after proving complete failure, sought to impose upon him.

The difficulty about the Dingley reciprocity was that a separate treaty had to be negotiated with each country. The result was that rates on any particular article might be one thing for one country and quite a different thing for its next door neighbor.

Merchants and producers in this country also were put in an unfortunate position. They could not know how fast the state department might proceed on its own motion in negotiating treaties, and the result would have been a constant disturbance in prices through legislation, and not through the legislative branch of the government except so far as the senate was called upon to ratify treaties.

Furthermore, there always has been great doubt as to the legality of this system of reciprocity. The constitution requires that laws raising revenue shall originate in the house of representatives. It generally has been held by members of the house that no treaty negotiated by the president and confirmed only by the senate can be superior to the existing tariff law, because if it were otherwise the president and senate would have it in their power to devise revenue laws by treaties at any time.

Puts Us in Fighting Form.

All these objections to reciprocity have been swept away by the brief but significant suggestion of President Roosevelt looking toward the creation of maximum and minimum tariff as the best possible basis for securing favorable trade relations with the great countries of the earth.

This form of tariff has been a favored one on the continent, and the action of Germany in denouncing our present limited reciprocity

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SUMMARY OF The Daily Tribune.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 7, 1905.

THE WEATHER—
FORECAST—Fair with moderate temperature Thursday and Friday, fresh southerly winds.
Sunrise, 7:06; sunset, 4:19. Moonset, 2:43 a. m.
CONDITIONS YESTERDAY.
Temperature, max. 46, min. 30, mean 38, normal for the day 31. Deficiency for 1905, 77.
Precipitation for 24 hours to 7 p. m., 0. Excess for 1905, 2.03 inches.
Wind, S. W., max. 17 miles an hour, at 1:30 p. m.
Relative humidity, 7 a. m. 86%, 7 p. m. 75%.

LARGEST 2 CENT MORNING CIRCULATION IN THE WORLD.

Tribune's new telephone number—100 CENTRAL.

The Tribune Want Ads Will Be Found on Pages 12 to 15.

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Bill embodying president's recommendations as to reciprocity by maximum and minimum tariffs slated to pass congress. Page 1.

Secretary Root's visit to Brazil planned to have far reaching effect on Latin-American states; imposing squadron of warships to visit Brazil. Page 1.

Bill appropriating $16,500,000 for work on Panama canal debated and made ready for final passage. Page 4.

District Attorney Morrison of Chicago almost lost official life in Washington; action stayed on request of Senator Hopkins. Page 4.

Secretary Metcalf in annual report commented upon vast increase in immigration, and advocated reforms. Page 8.

Secretary Shaw in annual report offered cure for money stringency. Page 8.

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Cancellor von Bülow in reichstag said Germany's relations with England were improving; empire's finances in deplorable state. Page 3.

French senate passed bill for separation of church and state, thus ending long and bitter struggle. Page 3.

DOMESTIC.

Unrequited love caused young woman to take poison at Schenectady, N. Y.; died in presence of suitor. Page 1.

Capt. Amundsen, Norwegian explorer, arrived at Eagle City, Alaska, after making northwest passage first time in history of Arctic exploration. Page 3.

Depew resigned from Equitable directorate; McCall denied that he would quit New York Life, but admitted that Perkins would go. Page 3.

Politics declared to figure in case of Mrs. Rogers, sentenced to death in Vermont. Page 3.

Lawyer Patrick, sentenced to death, made plea in own behalf. Page 3.

Woman driven from fort in marooned car at Girard, Kas. Page 7.

LOCAL.

Woman's club of Settlement house reported thirty-six mothers with 252 children, average of seven. Page 1.

Albert Corey, running to Chicago from Milwaukee, trying to lower record. Page 1

Milward Adams closed deal to bring New York hippodrome show to Auditorium five weeks in spring. Page 2.

State Senator Frank C. Farnum, accused of complicity in murder of J. V. Kopf, released on $20,000 bonds. Page 2.

Aldermen urged city's past bad management of water department as argument against high pressure system. Page 2.

"No better than 90 cents" will be offer which gas companies will make to council committee today. Page 2.

Suit begun to force Illinois Steel company to pay state for land made in lake at South Chicago. Page 2.

"Tunnel" ordinances given to local transportation committee and may be reported unanimously. Page 2.

Four women in court maintained that they were positive Gilhooley and companions assaulted Carlstrom. Page 5.

Mrs. Fernando Jones recalled reception cards owing to illness. Page 9.

President McCormick and members of new drainage board made first inspection of canal. Page 16.

POLITICAL.

Gov. Deneen issued statement intimating that special session of legislature to consider charter amendment will not be held. Page 5.

NEW YORK.

Attorney found guilty of blackmail by Jekyll and Hyde process; will be sentenced next week. Page 4.

W. E. Corey, president of United States Steel corporation, admitted he would welcome divorce. Page 4.

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Majority of railroad men believed Illinoise rate cut would be accepted without a fight. Page 5.

Hot contests promised for annual election of Chicago real estate board. Page 7.

Special stocks made gains in New York market, although rise to 25 in call money had unsettling effect. Page 10.

Chicago Subway advanced on local exchange to 51¾, with buying manipulative in character. Page 11.

Wheat developed greater strength; purchases by Armour house estimated at more than 2,500,000 bushels. Page 11.

Liberal receipts caused lower prices for cattle and sheep at stockyards; hogs generally firm. Page 11.

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Big crowd saw races at City park, New Orleans, organization of stock company appearing to increase interest. Page 6.

American Trotting association board of appeals postponed decision in McMahon and Powers cup cases. Page 6.

Callaghan caused surprise by winning Racine handicap at Oakland in hollow fashion. Page 6.

Matchmaker Butler to take team of Chicago boxers to Milwaukee. Page 6.

MOVEMENTS OF OCEAN STEAMSHIPS.

Port.	Arrived.	Sailed.
ANTWERP	Finland	
COPENHAG'N	Oscar II	
GENOA	Torino	
GLASGOW	Astoria	
HONGKONG	Siberia	
LIVERPOOL	Merion	Majestic
LIVERPOOL	Manitoba	
LIVERPOOL	Oceanic	
LIVERPOOL	Parisian	
LONDON	Mesaba	
LONDON	Georgian	
MANCHEST'R	Caledonian	
MARSEILLES	Italia	
NAPLES		Giulia
NEW YORK	K. W. II.	Cedric
NEW YORK		Statendam
NEW YORK		Sicilia
NEW YORK		Gerty
PALERMO		Messina
QUEENSTOWN		Ivernia
SAN FR'SCO		Saturn
YOKOHAMA	K. Ernest	Ping Suey
YOKOHAMA	Lyra	
YOKOHAMA	Mongolia	

ROOT IS TO WELD SOUTH AMERICA.

Western Hemisphere, Solidified Against European Aggression, Is the Aim of the United States.

TO PAY COURT IN STATE.

Imposing Squadron of Warships Will Escort Secretary on Important Journey to Brazil Next Summer.

BY JOHN CALLAN O'LAUGHLIN.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 6.—[Special.]—There is a world of politics in Secretary Root's determination to visit Brazil next summer. Its result, it is hoped, will be a hemisphere solidified against European aggression.

As revealed today by an official acquainted with the reasons underlying the secretary's decision, he proposes by his trip:

First—To show the people of Brazil and other South American republics that the United States does not assume the rôle of protector, but considers that the states of the new world should enjoy absolute equality with each other.

Second—To demonstrate that the United States thinks enough of their friendship and good will to warrant attentions such as one nation of Europe shows to another.

Third—By personal explanation to remove the suspicion that territorial aggrandisement is the secret mainspring of the policy of the United States.

Fourth—From this demonstration of friendship and good will and acknowledgment of equality to obtain a recognition of the obligations as well as the benefits which the Monroe doctrine imposes upon the Latin American states and to insure their cordial support of it. In other words, to have an unwritten alliance of the states of the western hemisphere the purpose of which shall be the enforcement of the Monroe doctrine against the world.

South America's Future Great.

The people of the country generally are only beginning to realize the growing importance of South America, but exporters and officials have a keener appreciation of the value, commercially and politically, of that section of the world. They have had an opportunity to study the development of such countries as Brazil, Argentina, and Chile, they see the wonderful strides those states have made, and they anticipate a great future for them. They also have come in contact with the activity of the trading nations of Europe—Germany, Great Britain, and Italy.

Exporters believe the United States should not permit European goods to obtain such a firm foothold that they cannot be shaken loose. Officials hold the United States should not allow Europe to acquire a preponderating influence in the southern republics so they could be turned against us and serve as a balance of power.

Root to Pay Court in State.

It is these considerations which have made Secretary Root conclude it is worth while to pay court to South America. He will go to Rio de Janeiro, the capital of Brazil, when the Pan-American congress is in session.

Secretary Root will not be a delegate. He will attend the conference, meet the representatives of the Latin-American states, confer with Baron Rio-Branco, the Brazilian minister for foreign affairs, and perhaps with ministers of the same rank from the other countries. He will go on a United States transport, and will be escorted by a squadron of first class warships, probably the latest armored cruisers.

In his annual message President Roosevelt said there were certain republics to the south of us which already had reached such a point of stability, order, and prosperity that they themselves, though as yet hardly conscious, were among the guarantors of this doctrine. In personal conversations with the ambassador from Brazil, the minister from Argentina, and the minister from Chile the president had spoken of the development of their respective countries and of the new position these countries occupied with respect to the Monroe doctrine. To the Argentine minister he made statements which created something of a sensation in South America. The minister made a report to his government which was quoted by Don Carlos Savalia, recently chargé d'affaires, in his annual report of the relations of the United States and Argentina, just published at Buenos Ayres.

Argentina Wins Roosevelt's Praise.

"President Roosevelt, in the energetic and emphatic tone which is peculiar to him," said Señor Zavalia, "addressed the minister in the following terms, which I reproduce almost exactly:

"'An opportunity that is more pleasing and desirable could not have been presented to me than the present to declare to you the high appreciation, admiration, and sympathy I have for the progress of the Argentine republic. Your country interests us greatly, and the power and riches which it has acquired appeal to us, since you may be called on to be in the south the defenders of the Monroe doctrine, as we are in the north. I do not wish to offend any nation, but I may say, among ourselves, that it would be desirable if the states which border on the Caribbean sea, Venezuela, Colombia, and the rest should raise themselves and look across the mountains at the example of the progress, really phenomenal, of the Argentine republic and find there a lesson to be imitated."

Brazil Also Forging Ahead.

According to the critics of the president, it would have been quite proper had he stopped at this point, as he had made a similar declaration to the Brazilian representative. But the Argentine minister, replying to the president, thanked him for his words, and continued:

"The progress of our country is indeed extraordinary. Its former prosperity has been strengthened and consolidated in modern times. One of our greatest advantages as a nation is in the composition of our people, all of which is of European extraction, since we do not have the Indian and negro elements which predominate in other countries of America."

Senator Lodge introduced in the senate today a bill prepared by Secretary Root and himself for the reorganization of the consular service. The bill is in line with the national movement for reform in this important branch of the government. It does not provide that a consul general or consul shall be appointed at a specified place, but creates a corps composed of consuls general, consuls and consular agents, who may be assigned wherever the president may direct. The pay of consuls general range from $3,500 to $12,000, there being two who will receive the highest salary, and consuls from $2,000 to $5,000.

THE DIARY OF CONGRESSMAN PUMPHREY—NO. 2.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 6.—Wednesday.—"Have been here four days. Wife and daughter delighted. Have met some charming people. Col. Harrison K. Bunker, the attorney for the consolidated railroad combine, has been very kind to me in the way of helping me get a suitable house. He has also introduced us to Senator Stephen B. Octopus, who has invited me and my family to dine at his mansion tomorrow night. Have decided not to introduce my anti-trust and tariff revision bill until a little later."

RACE SUICIDE? NOT HERE.

Settlement House Woman's Club Gives Refreshing Returns.

36 MOTHERS; 252 CHILDREN.

Average for Each Parent Is Seven Offspring—Some Do Better.

Hope was breathing convulsively. Oxygen was being administered. It seemed that the last moment was at hand—that the Chicago clubwomen would be unable to disprove Olga Louise Cadijah's contention that the clubwoman shuns maternity—and Hope would die.

North side precincts had been heard from and the average fell below two children to a mother; the returns from the south side precincts gave little promise of changing the result. A number of the west side precincts had reported an average of three—not enough to offset the small registration in the north shore wards.

Then returns began to come in from the northwest side. One club gave an average of three and one-half. Hope rallied.

The woman's club of Settlement house, 788 Armitage avenue, was heard from yesterday. As the returns began to come in Hope sat up and took nourishment. Long before the final results were recorded Hope had recovered entirely. The last bulletin read as follows:

"Thirty-six members present at the meeting. Total number of children reported 252. Average number of children to a member 7."

Fateful Meeting Convenes.

It was just 2:30 o'clock when Mrs. Herman Falkenstein, head resident of the Armitage avenue settlement house and president of its woman's club, advanced to the platform of the little clubroom and with a rap of her gavel called the meeting to order.

"The general federation of women's clubs," announced Mrs. Falkenstein, "has requested all the clubs in the city to collect statistics showing the number of children to every club mother. The charge has been made that the woman's club is one of the most powerful agencies in the promotion of race suicide; that club women willfully avoid maternity. As the secretary calls the roll I wish the members present would respond to their names and state the number of their children."

"Mrs. Susie Ellerman," called the secretary.

"Seven," replied Mrs. Ellerman.

"Mrs. J. Durkin."

"Nine," announced Mrs. Durkin.

"Mrs. Frederick Bucholtz," inquired the secretary.

"Ten," responded Mrs. Bucholtz, flushing with pride.

Complete Roll of Honor.

The secretary continued down the list. After each name on the roll the number of children was inscribed. When each of the thirty-six members present had made their reply, the list was as follows:

Member.	Children.	Member.	Children.
Mrs. A. Bissell	6	Mrs. Maria Barrell	6
Mrs. Charity Lowry	7	Mrs. Mary Figueres	6
Mrs. Peter Langois	8	Mrs. Clara Haven	9
Mrs. Marie McMann	7	Mrs. Charles Twig	7
Mrs. K. Merzen	8	Mrs. Martha Lindberg	6
Mrs. T. Knobel	7	Mrs. Caroline Marcotte	8
Mrs. J. Fischer	10	Mrs. Rose Pagne	7
Mrs. E. Saedler	8	Mrs. Amelia Pape	6
Mrs. J. Robinson	7	Mrs. August Hoeger	6
Mrs. J. Crichan	6	Mrs. Viola Toppen	6
Mrs. E. Judge	6	Mrs. A. Rexkie	8
Mrs. Mary Foley	8	Mrs. J. Durkin	9
Mrs. J. Jaster	6	Mrs. J. Kropp	10
Mrs. A. Olson	8	Mrs. L. Strong	7
Mrs. A. Oberstead	6	Mrs. H. Koste	7
Mrs. A. Marcotte	8	Mrs. M. Anderson	8
Mrs. L. Russell	8	Mrs. J. Scally	7
Mrs. Susie Ellerman	7	Mrs. Fred. Bucholtz	10

President Announces Result.

Mrs. Falkenstein footed up the column and announced:

"Thirty-six members have responded to the roll and have reported 252 children. This makes an average of seven children.

"And while I am on this subject it may be well for me to announce that the fund which is used for the purchase of silver spoons for little newcomers to the homes of our members is again nearly exhausted, and some of the proceeds of our bazaar must be used to replenish the spoon fund treasury."

This action, it is understood, is urgent.

SHE DIES AT 'LAST SUPPER.'

Love Unrequited, Girl Takes Poison While Dining with "Him."

FORCED TO WITNESS DEED.

Indifferent Young Man, About to Wed Another, Is the Guest of Honor.

Schenectady, N. Y., Dec. 6.—[Special.]—Because the man whom she loved was soon to wed another, Miss Louise Westwood, a nurse, swallowed prussic acid last night in a local restaurant after a "last supper" with him. She died in his presence.

Tonight, while the young woman's friends were mourning at her bier, the man whose indifference impelled her to suicide was married to the other girl, and the last chapter of the discarded one's romance was closed.

There is every indication that Miss Westwood carefully planned self-destruction, keeping ever in view the idea that she should expire before the eyes of the young man who failed to appreciate her charms.

Victim of Unrequited Love.

He is George H. Smith, a young lawyer, who for months had been a friend of the dead girl and for whom she had conceived a strong attachment. Recently Miss Westwood's friends told her that he was engaged to another girl in Cohoes. This she refused to believe until about ten days ago, when she asked him and he admitted that it was true.

Since then Miss Westwood has been suffering from extreme melancholia. She refused to be consoled, but nursed her sorrow until friends became concerned for her health.

Arranges the "Last Supper."

Yesterday afternoon she called up Smith on the telephone and jokingly talked with him about his approaching marriage. She seemed cheerful, and gayly invited him to "a last supper before you are married." He readily consented, and by arrangement she met him downtown in the evening.

The couple entered the café about 7:15 o'clock and sought a private dining room where often before they had been served tête-à-tête. The girl evidently had selected the place and the hour because of their association with the past.

While the waiter was clearing their table Smith displayed a New York paper which told in sensational detail the story of Mary Rogers, the murderess about to be hanged at Windsor, Vt.

Miss Westwood glanced at the headlines and remarked lightly: "I can't see why she wants to worry. Death is not so bad."

Talks Jokingly of Wedding.

When the dinner was served the girl refused absolutely to eat. But for an hour and a half she held up her end of the conversation without apparent effort.

The couple discussed a variety of subjects, ever and anon recurring to that which seemed uppermost in the thoughts of either, Smith's approaching wedding, to which the girl referred jokingly, giving her companion domestic advice.

Finally she excused herself and went across the hall to the lavatory, reappearing in the course of a minute or so. Her eyes were bloodshot and protruded beyond their sockets.

Dies in Sweetheart's Presence.

She staggered toward Smith, who placed her in a chair. He detected the odor of poison and becoming thoroughly alarmed sent for a doctor.

But it was too late. The girl was drawing her last breath when the physician arrived. She died without a word of reproach.

Smith was married tonight to Miss Fannie Kerneghan of Cohoes, a stenographer.

Heiress Hangs Herself.

New York, Dec. 6.—After aiding her young sister Lillian to prepare for a reception and wishing her a pleasant evening, Miss Evelyn A. Walker, daughter of a rich manufacturer and a former school teacher in Brooklyn, went to her room in her father's house, at 606 McDonough street, last night and hanged herself.

MAN BEGINS 90 MILE RUN.

Albert Corey Starts from Milwaukee for Chicago at 11 P. M.

JOSEPH REPLATE WITH HIM.

Latter Has Small Hope of Lasting to Finish at Adams Street.

Albert Corey, the French long distance footracer, is now running to Chicago from Milwaukee, a distance of ninety miles. Clad in his red cherry circle jersey, light bicycle trousers, and low shoes, he started at 11 o'clock last night on his long, cold trip with the hope of reaching the tape across Michigan avenue at Adams street before 2 o'clock this afternoon, establishing a record for the distance of fifteen hours.

Starting with him, though with small hope of being able to last the entire distance, is Joseph Replate, one of Corey's friends. Replate heard of the race too late to train down to his best weight but determined to enter anyway for all that was in him.

Lambros Lambrakis, the Greek runner, failed to appear, though he was expected to start.

Start from Club in Milwaukee.

The start was made from in front of the clubhouse of the Milwaukee Athletic club, Milwaukee avenue and Wisconsin street, in the presence of several hundred persons. Officials of the club, at the request of the New Illinois Athletic club of Chicago, took charge of the Milwaukee end of the race, and vouch for the course as far as Kenosha.

In order to do that, President Wilmer Sieg of the Milwaukee Athletic club, and President Walter H. Liginger of the Central association of the A. A. U. accompanied the two runners in an automobile.

With them was Dr. W. E. Fox, one of the club's physicians, and a masseur, who proposed to give the runners a rubbing down at Kenosha.

Given the Word at 11 P. M.

"Are you ready?" called out President Liginger in Milwaukee to the two runners stamping nervously on the asphalt pavement in front of the clubhouse. The men threw their coats off, tossed them into the Liginger automobile, and took a pull at a bottle of light French wine.

"All right, I guess," said Corey, drawing a deep breath and giving a hasty glance into the sky, pitch dark but for a few stars. The next instant, precisely at the stroke of 11 o'clock, Western Union time, Liginger's revolver was fired and the two men, at a light jog trot, started down the street. Then the automobile chugged up in pursuit, overtook them, and led the way out into the darkness.

The course is absolutely unknown to the two men, who will have to depend upon the officials for guidance. It stretches away to the south from Milwaukee, cold and dark, with the prospects, according to the Wisconsin weather man, of a nipping breeze from the lake early this morning. The road, as mapped by the Milwaukee people, reaches out south through Cudahy, Racine, and Kenosha. At Kenosha early this morning William Hale Thompson and a party of officials from the New Illinois Athletic club in automobiles assume charge of the race.

How They Passed the Day.

Corey and Replate reached Milwaukee early yesterday morning and went to bed at once in the Globe hotel. In the afternoon they were wakened up and given some hot beef consommé, rice, and roast chicken. At 9 o'clock they dressed and went over to the athletic club, where they were rubbed down and given some more consommé, roast beef, and wine. Both ate lightly. They are given rice and wine on their long run, and at Kenosha something hot is in readiness.

Corey's gait is a long slow trot, breaking for relief now and then into a swift walk that carries him over the ground without any break in his speed. His walk, in fact, is likely to bring him the fifteen hour record if anything can. He is nearly tireless in it, and holds the French record for the twelve hour walk during which time he covered sixty-three miles. Four pairs of shoes, two low and two rather high, are used during the present long run.

WOMAN ASSASSIN KILLS SAKHAROFF

Russia's Former Minister of War Murdered by a Female Agent of "The Terrorists."

NEW ALARM AT CAPITAL.

Feared That This Is First of a Series of Assassinations Planned by Revolutionists.

BULLETIN.

LONDON, Dec. 7, 3 a. m.—The correspondent of the Times at St. Petersburg says: "I am informed on excellent authority that a revolt of the St. Petersburg garrison is certain to occur."

[From the St. Petersburg correspondent of the London Daily Telegraph.]
[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

ST. PETERSBURG, Dec. 5, via Eydtkuhnen, East Prussia, Dec. 6.—Lieut. Gen. Sakharoff, former minister of war, was assassinated today.

The government had deputed Gen. Sakharoff to visit the province of Saratoff for the purpose of quelling the agrarian riots there.

Nonofficial newspapers print harrowing details of the actions of Gen. Sakharoff at Saratoff, including the whipping of the peasants whom he was sent to pacify.

A woman belonging to the so-called "Flying Columns" of the revolutionary movement called at the house of the governor of Saratoff at noon today and asked to see Gen. Sakharoff.

She fired three revolver shots at the general, killing him on the spot.

The tidings reached St. Petersburg tonight. Count de Witte charged Lieut. Gen. Rudiger, minister of war, with the task of breaking the news to Mme. Sakharoff.

The event has created a profound impression in St. Petersburg, owing to fears that the revolutionists here will follow the example thus set.

The specter of a military dictatorship, which has been looming on the horizon, is slowly gaining consistency and sharpness of outline.

CRISIS NOT YET ENDED.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

ST. PETERSBURG, Tuesday night, Dec. 5, via Helsingfors, Finland, Dec. 6, 7 p. m.—The situation does not clear. The worst features of the extension of the troubles in the army are coming in slowly from diverse regions. The mutinies at Kieff and Voronesh are not yet quelled, and it is now reported that outbreaks have occurred among various regiments in Poland.

Premier de Witte's task hourly is becoming harder, and many persons sincerely believe that his downfall is imminent. The reactionary influences are now openly clamoring for repression and a dictator.

Meantime the distracted premier, upon whose shoulders everything falls, in addition to the many problems with which he is confronted, continues his negotiations with the zemstvoists, whose aid in the present crisis he regards as vital.

Insist on Universal Suffrage.

The Moscow delegates pointed out that they were not speaking for themselves but for the great mass of the people of the country when they demanded universal suffrage. They said it was a fact that universal suffrage would be contrary to their interests, but that only thereby could the country be saved from anarchy and ruin. The reactionary influences, on the contrary, which the members of the deputation said they found to be strongly intrenched in St. Petersburg and Tsarskoe Selo, were pushing their own selfish ends with an utter disregard of the consequences. It is further pointed out in the communication that the only salvation for the government would be the issuance immediately of a definite statement thoroughly outlining a liberal policy, to be followed at once by corresponding acts.

Trying to Break the Strike.

The government made an effort to resume the post and telegraph services today, but it was a dismal failure so far as the latter was concerned. The office was opened under military protection and there were sufficinet numbers of clerks, etc., on duty to go through the form of receiving telegrams, but not one was transmitted and not a single wire, with the exception of the line to Tsarskoe Selo, operated by military telegraphers, was working. Some mail, however, was delivered by volunteers under the escort of police and gendarmes. The mail wagons and postoffices were heavily guarded by Cossacks. Many prominent persons, among them being Prof. De Martens, tendered their services as strike breakers.

Asks People to Be Patient.

Another government note appealing to the people to have patience, pointing out again the necessity for time to replace the old by new laws, and promising the issuance of temporary statutes covering the guarantees of the manifesto and making them operative until the national assembly meets, has been issued.

Father Gopon is continuing to preach to the workmen against a revolution, saying that the strike tactics are sure to eventuate in reaction and jeopardize the freedom purchased by blood. He warns the revolutionists and socialists that they cannot arouse the peasants by their political demands, but are more likely to raise up a counter revolution. He says:

"A hundred fanatical priests, with church banners and ikons, might easily arouse the 'black' millions of the country and overwhelm you intellectuals of the cities amidst such horrors as the world has never witnessed."

PROGRESS OF RELIEF WORK.

LONDON, Dec. 6.—The secretary of the committee which was appointed by the recent conference held here under the chairmanship of Lord Rothschild to take charge of the distribution of the funds collected for the relief of Jews in Russia, said tonight that the following dispatch had been received from the traveling commissioners who are now working in various parts of Russia:

"Forty thousand persons are affected in Kieff alone. Several small towns which had Jewish sections have been entirely burned and the people are sleeping in the fields."

The secretary said that up to date $2,475,000 had been contributed. This sum included $1,000,000 from the United States, $320,000 from Germany, and $485,000 from Great Britain. The sum of $965,000 had already been remitted to Russia.

CITY OWNERSHIP HIT ON NEW SPOT

Aldermen Object to High Pressure Because Water System Is Run Down.

FOR IMPROVEMENT FIRST.

Engineer Shaw Says $10,000,000 Is Needed to Put Plant in Good Order.

Municipal ownership arguments bobbed up in a new place yesterday. It was at the meeting of the council committee on fire and water, discussing whether a high pressure water system should be established in the downtown district. The point was made that the city had not done so well with its management of the water system as to entitle it to go into more extensive business enterprises.

Mayor Dunne, who was present, saw the point at once and entered the plea that the city had been handicapped in its task of supplying water to the citizens by the fact that it had charged lower prices than a private company would, but a number of aldermen came back with the reply that the people in their wards could not get water at any cost.

There was no definite action taken by the committee, but it was pretty well established at its meeting that the high pressure water system will not be recommended. The aldermen were practically unanimous in declaring that they wanted a better low pressure system first and would look to high pressure afterward.

Needs Outlay of $10,000,000.

City Engineer Shaw was before the committee, and the question as to the cost of the proposed high pressure system was up. The engineer was asked what condition the water fund was in and what money from it would have to be spent in order to put the plant in order.

"Mr. Erickson and Mr. McHarg are now preparing plans for a necessary rehabilitation of the city's plant," answered Mr. Shaw. "Their figures are not yet complete, but in round numbers it will cost the city $10,000,000 to put the plant in a modern, up to date condition. As I understand the matter, it will take all the surplus revenue from the water fund for several years to do the work."

"Is it not a fact," asked Ald. Snow, "that this is so because the water works system has been allowed to run down; that if it had been properly managed and charges for depreciation allowed it would yet be in good working condition?"

"But would not a private company, if it had charge of the water works, have charged the consumers twice the price the city has charged?" put in the mayor.

In the confusion which followed the city engineer managed to avoid answering either question.

Discuss High Pressure System.

The the aldermen had something to say about the high pressure proposition. Ald. Wendling, McCormick [Fifth], and Hunter all raised the point that they wanted more water in their wards before any money was spent in furnishing fire protection for the downtown district.

"We will be satisfied in the Fifth ward if we can get water to our second stories," said Ald. McCormick. "We are not interested in pumping it to the top stories of the downtown skyscrapers."

"Why," explained Ald. Wendling, "down in my ward sometimes I have to keep constits of mine who want to see me in the morning waiting for an hour or so while I am hunting around for water enough to wash myself with."

Secretary Seeley of the former high pressure commission made the plea that the city already had spent $50,000 in starting such a system and it ought to continue the work. An inquiry as to what had been done with this $50,000 brought out the answer that pipe had been bought which never had been laid, and Engineer Shaw was instructed to investigate this phase of the matter and report what had become of the pipe, which is understood to be reposing in some city pipe yard.

ALDERMAN WORSTS A DOCTOR IN M. O. FISTIC DISCUSSION.

P. H. Moynihan Knocks Out Dr. Nickerson's Teeth When He Advocates Lynching of Ownership Opponents.

No one knows better than Ald. P. H. Moynihan and Dr. Nickerson that the subject of municipal ownership of street car lines is not a subject to be discussed dispassionately, when the advisability of lynching aldermen who oppose municipal ownership is suggested. Dr. Nickerson knows this, because two of his front teeth are missing and his upper lip is cut, and Ald. Moynihan because he inflicted those injuries and may be arrested, as well as "investigated" by the city council.

Dr. Nickerson admits that while journeying homeward toward South Chicago Tuesday night he remarked that both Ald. Moynihan and Jones, who reside in the same suburb, should be "strung up" because they opposed municipal ownership, and that Ald. Moynihan overheard this remark. Accordingly he was not surprised when, on alighting from the train, Ald. Moynihan approached him and inquired whether he had the rope handy.

"I have not," replied Dr. Nickerson, tersely. According to Ald. Moynihan he added that he "ought to have it handy."

Then Ald. Moynihan did things to Dr. Nickerson. The alderman says he simply struck the physician in the mouth, but Dr. Nickerson opines that he was struck with the alderman's fist forty times, at least. If he had sayed the two missing teeth he would label them "exhibit A" and "exhibit B" and show them to the city council.

Dr. Nickerson doesn't know whether he will bring the assault to the attention of the council or whether he even will have the alderman arrested. If he does not do these things Ald. Moynihan will be satisfied.

STOP CITY STREET CLEANING.

Appropriation Is Exhausted and the Work Will Be Halted Until January.

There will be no more street cleaning in Chicago, except in the First ward, until after Jan. 1. All the money appropriated has been expended, and the ward treasuries are exhausted. Supt. Fox of the street cleaning bureau received a report yesterday showing that there is not a ward in the city, excepting the First ward, which has a balance of $100, where there is any left for street cleaning, and he directed that the work shall cease. The appropriation for all the wards for the year was over $1,000,000. An emergency appropriation will be asked from the council finance committee to take care of the necessary removal of snow in the downtown district.

COURT'S ACT TO BE DEFENDED.

John Barton Payne and John P. Wilson to Aid City, Citizens Paying the Bill.

John Barton Payne and John P. Wilson will assist the counsel for the city in defending the municipal courts suit before the state Supreme court. The services of these attorneys were suggested to Mayor Dunne by members of the charter commission, which assisted in framing the bill. Corporation Counsel Lewis declared that the city will gladly accept this proffer of aid. He will ask Mr. Payne and Mr. Wilson to begin work on the brief at once. The services of the attorneys, it is understood, will be paid by the citizens.

FARNUM GIVES BIG BONDS.

BAIL OF $20,000 FURNISHED BY STATE SENATOR.

Politician Arrested for Complicity in the Murder of County Commissioner John V. Kopf Secures His Release from Police Station — George Gill Roberts, Who Stabbed the Man, Is Held in County Jail—Both Cases Continued to Dec. 16.

On bonds of $20,000, an amount equal to the bail required of any criminal in the history of Cook county, Frank C. Farnum, state senator from the Nineteenth district, who was arrested for complicity in the murder of John V. Kopf, was released by the police yesterday and spent the day at his residence in Wilcox avenue. The case against him was continued until Dec. 16.

Senator Farnum, with George Gill Roberts, who stabbed Commissioner Kopf, and John J. Callahan, a clerk at the election of the Thirteenth Ward Republican club, was arraigned before Justice Eberhardt at 9 o'clock. At first the court was inclined to grant the request of the police, who are said to have received their orders from Chief Collins, that Mr. Farnum be held without bonds. But after a strenuous protest by Kickham Scanlan, his counsel, it was agreed that he would be placed at liberty if his friends would guarantee $20,000 as security.

Released, Departs with Friends.

P. J. Cahill, clerk of the probate court, and Charles S. Lawrence, manufacturer of plumbing supplies, scheduled property in amounts far in excess of the bail demanded, and their bond was accepted. Mr. Farnum at once left the court with his wife.

Attorney Scanlan wore a slight smile as he said:

"I am confident that Senator Farnum's case will end in the justice court, but Roberts will be defended in the Criminal court, and then our side of the story will come out."

Roberts' case also was continued until Dec. 16, but he was held without bonds and was taken to the county jail. At the instance of the police the charge of riot against John J. Callahan was not prosecuted, and he was dismissed. This fact tended to strengthen the belief that it was from him that the police extracted the vital information which led to Senator Farnum's arrest.

New Evidence Not Obtained.

Capt. Peter M. Kelly declared that the police had secured little additional evidence in the cases. It developed in entering the record against Senator Farnum that the testimony upon which the complaint was based was that George A. Coffman, a bailiff of the Circuit court, who was in the forefront of the Kopf faction as they approached the judges' table at the election, heard Farnum exclaim, "Get Kopf."

Commissioner Kopf's Funeral Held.

Commissioner Kopf's funeral from his late residence, 1638 West Van Buren street, was attended by many city and county officials and by politicians from all the wards in the city. Among the prominent men who attended were Congressman William Lorimer, Fred M. Blount, John M. Smyth, John J. Hanberg, Frank O. Lowden, James Reddick, Daniel A. Campbell, James C. Irwin, and D. D. Healy.

After the funeral Mrs. Kopf went to the residence of her brother, John J. McCarthy, where she will remain until she recovers from the depressed condition which followed her husband's death. E. J. McCarthy, another brother, explained that Commissioner Kopf, in making his will the night before the election, did so in jest because of a talk among a party at his home. A discussion had arisen about the number of men who die intestate, Mr. Kopf then prepared his will in pencil and laughingly asked two friends to sign it, without referring to the election.

JUDGE APPEALS TO WOMEN FOR UPLIFTING OF SOCIETY.

Willard M. McEwen Tells Club Members Their Sex Should Establish Higher Standards for Men.

Judge Willard M. McEwen discussed modern society criminality and other subjects more or less related to both of these, before the Chicago Woman's club yesterday. He prefaced his remarks by appealing to his hearers to shoulder the task of uplifting society. Then he practically urged them to begin with their own kind—women.

"The women of this country must set up a higher standard of respectability than they now do," declared the judge. "Woman forgives too easily. A man is a drunkard and a woman forgives him and marries him, permitting the fancy to shape itself in her mind that by some special act of providence she was destined to reform that particular man. Ninety-nine times out of 100 she gets fooled. Women are too ready to receive into their society men who are not respectable. A premium, first of all, should be placed on respectability. If a man feels if he does a certain thing he will lose the respect of good men and women, he will not do it."

Judge McEwen urged that too many shirk religious responsibilities until the eleventh hour.

"We are constantly looking at the thief on the cross and think we can be saved by the same kind of a miracle. Instead of the man being made to fit the church nowadays the church is made to fit the man. If one church is too orthodox the man can get one that is a little milder. If this degree does not suit him he goes to a Sunday lecture."

GIRL BECOMES LIVING TORCH.

Julia Maxwell, Dress Set on Fire by Lamp, Smothers Flames While Mother Sends in Alarm.

Enveloped in a sheet of flame when the lamp that she attempted to fill exploded, and calling to her mother for assistance, Miss Julia Maxwell, 3411 Vernon avenue, last night extinguished the blaze after she had suffered severe burns about the face and hands. The fire spread to draperies in the place and for a time threatened the destruction of the house. The girl's mother, terror stricken at the sight of her daughter running about the room envelop[ed] in flames, offered no assistance, but hurri[ed] to the home of a neighbor and called the [fire] alarm office. The young woman was carri[ed] from the house by Policeman P. J. Murphy [and] given medical attention. It was said her condition is critical.

OBJECT TO WIVES TOILING.

Janitors Ask New Contract Providing Higher Pay, Men to Do All the Work.

Stipulations that their wives shall not be "hired out" were made yesterday by union flat janitors in the course of a conference with a committee from the real estate board concerning changes in wages and working conditions for the coming year in the large apartment buildings.

In urging the point the janitors contended that a man's wife is his own and that a landlord has no right to order her to scrub the floors or wash the windows without the husband's consent.

Further breaks were reported in the ranks of the striking glass workers. Sixty-five painters and silverers were said to have seceded from the union and applied for work.

STEAMER RELEASED FROM REEF

Steel Ship German Floated Off Rocks Near Glencoe After Three Days.

The steel company steamer German that went on the Glencoe reef Sunday night was released at 11:30 o'clock last evening and started for its berth at South Chicago under tow of two tugs. The German had a cargo of 2,100 tons of iron ore, of which 1,500 were thrown overboard. Then the compartments thus emptied were filled with compressed air. This lifted the vessel after tugs had failed to pull it off the rocks. The German was not leaking badly when it was floated.

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COMPANIES OFFER GAS AT 90 CENTS.

Will Submit Their Detailed Proposition to the Council Committee Today.

PUT LIMIT ON THE PRICE.

Declares Compensation, if Determined by City, Will Be Considered in Fixing Rates.

"Not better than 90 cents" will be the offer the gas companies will make to the council committee this afternoon. The companies, however, will keep their promise and make an offer. Then the committee can decide whether it wants to accept it or not.

James F. Meagher, for the People's Gas company, spent all of yesterday afternoon and a good part of the night drawing up the proposition he intends to submit. It will be a voluminous document. It is possible the committee may ask for time to find out exactly what it means.

The information given out in the evening, however, was that the 90 cent rate would be taken as a basis. This was the offer of compromise made at Springfield last winter when the attempt to stop the gas legislation was made.

What the Offer Includes.

Then the offer will go on to set out:

That the city of Chicago, in conformity with a now established custom, asks compensation for itself whenever it makes any kind of a bargain with a quasi-public corporation and the gas companies are willing to agree to pay such compensation in consideration of being allowed to remain peacefully in their rights. This is the consideration the city is to give the companies for the compensation.

If the city does not want compensation, it can have 50 cent gas. But if it does want compensation, then the amount charged must be figured in the price for gas to be fixed.

The committee is apt to adjourn shortly after hearing the offer as a result of Mayor Dunne's action in the afternoon. Ald. Potter called on him and asked him to instruct Special Counsel Ashton to postpone for a time the taking of testimony in the Mills case in New York so that Mr. Meagher might be able to be at the committee meetings.

The mayor replied that as the court order now stands the testimony must be closed by next Tuesday and he would suggest the committee adjourn today until after that date. Mr. Meagher replied in the afternoon by notifying Mr. Ashton that he would apply to Judge Landis this morning for a continuance of the case.

Lewis Will Revise Opinion.

Corporation Counsel Lewis said in the afternoon he would have to revise the opinion he had given the committee as to the debt of the city to the gas company, in view of the information he had received, when he got the copy of the contract of 1899.

"I regard it as a calamity," said Col. Lewis, "that it should come that the city is compelled to take as evidence of public doings the records in the hands of its opponents. I think it most important the city should keep its files with the same care and the same exactness a private corporation does. Just now I am looking for the ordinance of 1891, which I am told was passed, but of which I can find no record."

Controller Raises Point.

Controller McGann raised the point that the People's company is obligated to pay 10 per cent on the receipts from the sale of the gas manufactured by the Universal Gas company. This company is one of those bought by the People's. It built a large manufacturing plant, but never laid any mains. Since the People's company has had the plant it has used the plant simply for manufacturing purposes.

EIGHTEEN YEAR OLD BOY WINS BANK CLERK'S PRIZE.

Harry Reynolds, in Speed and Accuracy Test with Adding Machine, Defeats Champion E. D. McCullough.

E. D. McCullough, the American Trust and Savings bank clerk who won the championship for speed and accuracy of work on the adding machine at New York three weeks ago, was defeated last night by a mere boy, Harry Reynolds, employed at the First National bank. The winner, who is 18 years old, made a record of eleven minutes thirty-one and one-fifth seconds for 500 checks, while McCullough's time was 11:35.4 for the same number of checks. Charles Novak of the Commercial Exchange National bank was third, with a record of 14.46.

The contests took place before the Chicago chapter of the American Institute of bank clerks in the assembly hall of the Northwestern university building. The prizes were $25, $15, and $10.

In a special contest for the electrical machine, in distinction from the hand lever machine, McCullough won with a record of ten minutes and fifty-two seconds.

The envelope addressing contest was won by Fred Thulin of the Continental National bank, with E. J. Schumacher of the First National bank second.

SCHOOL BOARD CO-OPERATES IN JUVENILE COURT PLAN.

Appropriates $100,000 to Buy Site and Erect Building for Temporary Holding of Truants and Delinquents.

By a vote of 13 to 1 the board of education last night decided to cooperate with the city and county in carrying out extensive plans for the care of truants and juvenile delinquents. The board voted to expend approximately $100,000 for the purchase of a site and the erection of a school for the temporary accommodation of truants under the jurisdiction of the Juvenile court.

The new school will be a "half-way" station between the public school and the parental school, and will be open to the truants committed to the projected detention home by Judge Mack.

Mrs. Keough alone voted no, saying that, while she did not oppose the plan on its merits, she believed the normal children should be better provided for before a large sum should be expended for the benefit of the subnormal children.

ROBBER TAKEN IN GUN FIGHT.

Joe Thompson Arrested After Attempt to Loot Offices of Alton Railroad—Companion Escapes.

An attempt to rob the safe in the offices of the Chicago and Alton railroad, 2 West Van Buren street, last night was frustrated by William Clannerberg, a night watchman, and Detectives Weisse and Mahoney of the Desplaines street station, when they arrested Joe Thompson after a revolver battle in a blind alley.

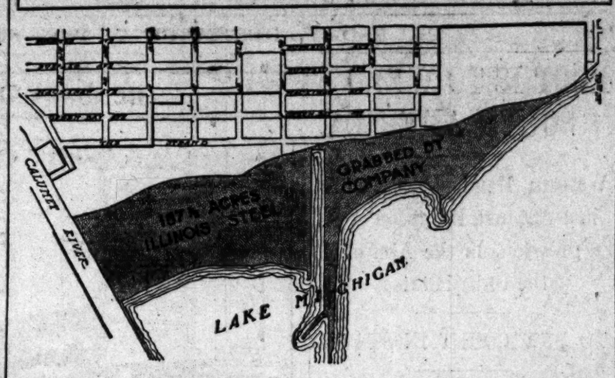
Clannerberg was making his rounds, when he saw two men trying to force a window. He telephoned to the Desplaines street station for assistance. The clanging of the bells of the patrol wagon frightened the men and they ran. Thompson dashed into West Madison street, to Clinton street, and then turned into an alley between Washington and Randolph streets. Discovering he was trapped, he fired at his pursuers.

Three shots by the detectives followed. Then he surrendered. His companion escaped.

Give Benefit for Old People's Home.

The Central Association of Swedish Societies will give a benefit for the Old People's home at Park Ridge at the North Side Turner hall. A program of music and readings will be followed by a dance. Miss Ellyn Swanson, 204 West Ohio street, will be one of the singers.

Map Showing Reclaimed Lake Land Steel Company Is Seeking to Hold.



The map shows the plant of the Illinois Steel company, extending along the lake shore from Seventy-ninth street to the Calumet river. The shaded portion indicates the tract of 187 acres of submerged land, which the company reclaimed from the lake and is attempting to withhold from its rightful owner, the state of Illinois. The adjoining tract inclosed by the black line is the company's rightful property.

"MADE" LAND SUIT BEGUN

STATE'S ATTORNEY STARTS ACTION AGAINST STEEL COMPANY.

Demands Lease or Purchase of 187 Acres Reclaimed from Lake by Filling, Also Back Rent for Twenty-five Years — Defendant to Answer Bill at January Term of Court—It Will Deny Charges, Asserting That Accretions Have Been Natural.

Proceedings to compel the Illinois Steel company to compensate the state for the land which it has caused to be made in the lake were instituted yesterday in the Superior court by State's Attorney Healy. The court is asked to enjoin the company from making any more land and to compel the concern either to rent or purchase from the state the land already made and occupied.

With the bill the state's attorney filed a map made from a recent survey showing that the land made by the steel company amounts to 187.2 acres. The tract extends from Seventy-ninth street to Ninety-first, and is worth several hundred thousand dollars.

The action, which Judge Gary permitted the people's attorney to bring without cost, is termed "an information in equity," and is the first legal proceeding of its kind to be instituted by a state's attorney in this state. It is one of the most ancient actions of common law which the crown attorney resorted to when he wished to contest the rights of individuals along the seashore.

Demands Back Rent for 25 Years.

A demand is made on the company not only for current compensation but for back rent covering a period of twenty-five years. The bill declares that the concern has occupied unlawfully seventy acres of made land for twenty years, eighty acres for fifteen years, and the remainder of the tract for an indefinite period.

The instrument states explicitly the manner in which the steel company has reclaimed submerged land from the lake, declaring that it "has thrown, dumped, and filled ashes, slag, cinders, salamander, and other refuse matter into the waters of Lake Michigan for the purpose of reclaiming the bed and continues now from day to day and week to week to reclaim the submerged lands forming the bed of said Lake Michigan."

Company to Deny Charges.

The petition is to be answered by the company at the January term of court. General Counsel Kemper K. Knapp will represent the defendant corporation. Mr. Knapp declares that the company has never filled in the lake. He admits merely that slag, ashes and other refuse have been dumped on the sand bordering the lake, and that all accretions have been natural.

BAR IS OPEN AFTER HOURS AT BIG CAB DRIVERS' BALL.

Drinks Served in Coliseum Annex to All Comers at 2 A. M.—May Afford a Precedent.

The lid was not on too tight last night to permit the escape of considerable steam from the Coliseum Annex. The ball of the Knights of the Whip Benevolent association was in full swing in the hall. It began before midnight, and after 1 a. m., when the saloons of the district closed, it did a great business.

At 2 a. m. there were fully 1,000 persons in the hall. The barroom, separated from the dancing floor by a partition, contained many tables. At these, as well as at the bar, drinks were served to all comers as long as they wished.

The First ward democrats will have a ball next week in the same hall. The cab drivers' affair, some believe, may be in the way to establish a precedent for the selling of drinks after the legal closing hour.

FIRMS GIVEN EVICTION NOTICES.

City Orders Twelve Concerns to Vacate Streets Along River or Pay Compensation.

Eviction notices, but with the saving clause that payment of compensation to the city will stay summary action, were sent to twelve corporations yesterday by the bureau of compensation where public space along the river is being occupied without revenue to the city. The notices were sent in compliance with the order of the compensation committee of the council.

Notices were sent to the following:

Ajax Forge company, Hoyne avenue.
American Hyde and Leather company, Sangamon street.
Crescent Coal Mining company, Bliss street.
Davidson Bros. Marble company, Carroll street.
Featherstone Foundry company, Front and Dix streets.
Henne & Co., Blanche and Fleetwood streets.
International Harvester company, Hoyne avenue.
Parker-Washington Asphalt company, Wharf street.
People's Gaslight and Coke company, Haines street.
Philadelphia and Reading Coal and Iron company, Haines street.
Scully Paving company, Quarry street.
Western Stone company, Reese street.

FIRE THREATENS PLAYHOUSE.

Half Hour After Folly Performance Closes Flames Appear in Scenery —Quickly Put Out.

Half an hour after the performance closed last night in the Folly theater in State street fire broke out above the stage entrance, near the boxes on the north side of the building. The scenery and decorations were soon in flames. The fire department was on hand before the woodwork was burning and extinguished the blaze, with a loss of $500. Crossed electric wires are supposed to have started the fire.

CALVE TO CUT OUT MILWAUKEE.

Pleads Slight Affection of the Throat and Cancels Date in Wisconsin City.

Mme. Emma Calvé has canceled her engagement to sing in Milwaukee tonight, pleading a slight affection of the throat. At the Auditorium Annex last evening inquiries brought the response from her maid and her manager that Mme. Calvé was enjoying her usual health. The Milwaukee announcement was to the effect that she was under the care of a physician at the Annex.

HIPPODROME DEAL CLOSED

BIG SHOW COMING TO AUDITORIUM IN THE SPRING.

House Not to Be Remodeled—Stage Large Enough and Seating Capacity Sufficient Now—Five Weeks, Beginning on Feb. 26, Contracted For, with Matinee and Evening Performances Every Day — Telegram Confirming Contract Received.

Milward Adams, manager of the Auditorium theater, last evening confirmed the story in THE TRIBUNE of yesterday to the effect that he had closed a contract with Thompson & Dundy, managers of the New York Hippodrome, for the presentation of their production on the stage of the Auditorium for five weeks beginning Feb. 26. The attraction was secured after several weeks of negotiation on the part of Mr. Adams, and the final arrangements were completed yesterday.

For months past the owners of the Hippodrome have endeavored to purchase a site in this city for the purpose of bringing their big show to Chicago, but it was decided a few days ago that a suitable location was not available. Last Monday Elmer S. Dundy of the New York firm came to Chicago and held a long conference with Mr. Adams in regard to the possibility of placing the Hippodrome on the Auditorium stage. An examination of the theater proved to the owners of the New York production that the plan was feasible, and the deal for the five weeks' exhibition was closed immediately. A telegram definitely confirming the contract was received from New York by Mr. Adams last night.

Mr. Adams said that the Auditorium would be altered in no way for the production.

"Our stage is large enough and the seating capacity is adequate for the performance," he stated. "We shall do nothing in the way of changing the present arrangement of the theater."

Performances will be given both afternoons and evenings in Chicago.

WAR ON WIFE DESERTERS DECLARED BY SUPT. BODINE.

He Says There Are 14,000 Abandoned Families in Chicago, and the Evil Is Greater than That of Divorce.

Supt. W. L. Bodine of compulsory education yesterday started a crusade against fathers who fail to support their families. He stated that the campaign would not be abandoned until every wife deserter in the city is brought to justice.

The first case of wife desertion came before Justice Hurley yesterday in connection with several school cases, and it was at this time that Supt. Bodine announced the gravity of the situation in Chicago.

"From figures gathered by the social settlement workers and the truant officers," said Mr. Bodine, "it is a low estimate to say that there are 14,000 deserted wives in Chicago today. Of this number 6,000 reside on the west side in the humble homes of the Ghetto. The situation really is becoming alarming from the fact that the condition of these mothers prevents their children from attending school regularly."

Joseph Lindo, 2212 Archer avenue, was fined $20 and costs for deserting his family and neglecting to send his children to school.

FAILS TO IDENTIFY KENDALL.

Mrs. William Grossman, Milwaukee, Is Not Sure He Was Slayer of Miss Maud Reese.

The attempt to prove by Mrs. William Grossman of Milwaukee that James Kendall was the murderer of Maud Reese, failed yesterday. Mrs. Grossman, who was visiting in Chicago near the Reese apartment at the time of the crime, saw a man, supposed to be the slayer, running from the building.

Detective Sergeant John Parker went with Kendall to Milwaukee to give Mrs. Grossman a chance to identify him. In the central police station, Milwaukee, in company with another prisoner, he posed in several positions before Mrs. Grossman, but she was unable to identify him.

He was brought back to Chicago on an evening train.

JEWISH FUND NOW $108,000.

New Contributions for Russian Kindred Are Received—Another Benefit Concert Planned.

The Chicago fund for the relief of the Jews in Russia yesterday was swelled to $108,000. It is expected that the subscription list today will reach the $110,000 mark. Plans were completed during the day for another benefit concert, which will be given at the Hull House Woman's club, Polk and Halsted streets, next Wednesday night.

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EXPECT TO AGREE ON 'TUNNEL' LAWS

Proposed Traction Ordinances Are Given to Local Transportation Committee.

MINORITY MAY GIVE IN.

Majority Believes Measures Will Be Reported Unanimously After Week's Recess.

"The tunnel" ordinances were given to the committee on local transportation yesterday. The committee promptly adjourned for one week so its members can consider them. The tip given out was that in that time the minority would come into line with the majority and the ordinances could be reported unanimously.

In the meantime the Chicago City railway company is likely to ask for the same privileges in the way of changing its cable propulsion to electric that the ordinances, if passed, would give the Union Traction. It is willing to retain the cable in State street, but wants to take it out of Cottage Grove and Wabash avenues and have a connection with Wabash avenue, whereby it can bring its Archer avenue cars uptown without hitching them to a cable trolley.

The ordinances given the committee by Special Counsel Edwin Burritt Smith apply only to the Union Traction company. One set of them provides for the lowering of the tunnels, the other for the use of overhead trolley instead of cable. Both are alike in the provision that nothing contained in them shall be interpreted to mean that any franchise rights it does not now possess shall be granted the company.

Provides for Trolley Lines.

The trolley power ordinances provide that in all streets where the Union Traction company now uses cable power, electric may be substituted. This would include not only the downtown loops but North Clark and Wells on the north side, Madison and Blue Island on the west, and Milwaukee avenue on the northwest, in fact, all streets in which cables now run.

It also is provided that the permit thus granted can be revoked at any time, "either by ordinance or resolution of the council," and the company must then come back to the cable.

The tunnel lowering ordinances provide that the company shall lower the tunnels to a depth where their crown shall be at least twenty-six feet below the city datum, and the company shall not only pay the cost of their lowering but of their maintenance.

It is provided, however, that if the franchise extension ordinances now before the council are not passed and the city shall in the future use the tunnels for street car purposes, evicting the company for that purpose, then the city shall pay the company "such part of the cost of lowering the tunnels as the remainder of the time shall bear to the period of twenty years named in the franchise ordinances."

City to Have Title to Tunnels.

The title to the tunnels all the time is to remain in the city, and during the time necessary for lowering them, which under the federal act must not be longer than April 15, the company is to have the use of the bridges to bring its cars downtown.

For this purpose it is to be allowed to install its electric power as quickly as it can.

The plan is to report the ordinances into the council and pass them as quickly as possible. It is a matter of time with the Union Traction company, as it will have to get the tunnels lowered and replaced by early spring.

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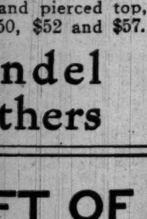

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DEPEW RESIGNS; "I WON'T": M'CALL.

Senator Quits Equitable Without Explanation; N. Y. Life Head Denies He'll Retire.

ADMITS PERKINS IS OUT.

Armstrong Committee on Trail of Big Graft in Security Mutual of Binghamton.

New York, Dec. 6.—[Special.]—Senator Chauncey M. Depew today sent in his resignation as director of the Equitable Life Assurance society to Chairman Paul Morton. He gave no reason for his action. It is said by his friends, however, that he was impelled by the recent disclosures before the legislative investigating committee into which his name had been dragged and by which he has been much embarrassed. Here is Mr. Depew's letter:

Washington, Dec. 4, 1905.—Paul Morton, president of the Equitable Life Assurance society—Dear Sir: I hereby tender my resignation as director of the Equitable Life Assurance society. Yours very truly, CHAUNCEY M. DEPEW.

It is reported from Albany that Mr. Depew will be asked to resign his seat in the United States senate. A resolution demanding that he retire on account of his connection with the insurance scandal will be introduced on the first day of the approaching session. If no one else offers it Senator Edgar T. Brackett of Saratoga, who more than any other man in the legislature contributed to the bringing about of the investigation of insurance companies, will present it.

McCall Denies He'll Get Out.

President John A. McCall of the New York Life, when asked tonight concerning a published report that he would tender his resignation at a meeting of the company's trustees next Wednesday, denied that he has any such intention, but admitted that George W. Perkins will get out soon. He intimated that Perkins' retirement was solely because of J. Pierpont Morgan's wish that he should give his entire services to J. P. Morgan & Co.

Mr. McCall said that he believed it to be the sentiment of the policy holders that he should remain head of the New York Life. He talked with considerable unwillingness.

"I have given up seeing newspaper men," said he. "I have been discouraged and disheartened at their garbled and unfair accounts of what I and others of our company have said. There appears to be a desire to place the executive of the New York Life on the same plane with the men that have done wrong and to give the policy holders the idea that they are the same sort of men as the others that have been brought into public notice in an unpleasant way."

Is Righteously Indignant.

"Are you going to hold on?" Mr. McCall was asked.

"Most certainly," he replied, with emphasis. "There isn't a word of truth in the report which was brought to my attention this evening that I am going to resign before the annual election of the trustees in April next."

"How about Vice President Perkins?"

"Mr. Perkins will resign, I believe," said Mr. McCall. "Mr. Morgan for a long time has desired that he sever his connection with the New York Life. Mr. Perkins feels, I suppose, that he should give his whole time to his banking business. As for myself, why should I resign? Nobody has requested that I should. I feel most sincerely that the policy holders are friendly to me and that they have confidence in me."

John Claflin, head of H. B. Claflin & Co., has been suggested as a desirable head of the company. He would not talk about the matter tonight. A trustee said all overtures to him had been without result.

Big Salary; Little Business.

The affairs of the Security Mutual Life Insurance company of Binghamton engaged the attention of the Armstrong legislative committee today. The Security is a small company, having only $47,000,000 of insurance in force, but its president last year got a salary of $21,000.

Charles M. Turner is the president of the Binghamton company. He was a witness before the committee the greater part of today.

The Security Mutual is an assessment company. It was organized in 1886 and at that time Mr. Turner, together with Charles N. Tupper, entered into a contract with it to pay all the expenses and conduct the business, in return for which the company was to turn over to Turner and Tupper all the moneys which it received from the members of the association as annual dues and membership fees.

Got 50 Cents on Each $1,000 Policy.

For two or three years Turner worked for nothing and actually went down into his own pocket to make up deficiencies. In 1893 this contract was abrogated and turned into a new contract with the association by which he was to get as his salary 50 cents on each $1,000 of insurance in force at the end of every year.

In 1894, according to President Turner, the company had obligations amounting to several thousand dollars outstanding, and the directors refused to put up any money. Thereupon a corporation known as the Agency and Investment company of Binghamton was organized for the purpose of assisting in a lawful manner the business of agents, corporations, and individuals. One of the clients, and the only one so far which the agency company got, was Security Mutual Life Insurance company.

The Agency and Investment company entered into a contract with the life insurance company in which it agreed to furnish and expend in the interest of the company $25,000, and to hold the company harmless under the terms of the contract providing for the payment of President Turner's salary. In return the Security Mutual company agreed to pay the Agency company 5 per cent of its gross premiums for each year.

All Get In on Ground Floor.

It is interesting to note that nearly all the officers of the Security Mutual company became stockholders in the Agency and Investment company; also that the insurance company's business had been growing steadily from 1886, the year when it was organized. In a purely mutual company the funds of the company belong, of course, to the policy holders. There is no stock, and hence no dividends paid on it.

The result of the Agency company's contract with the Mutual Life Insurance company was that in 1894, the first year of the agreement, the Agency company paid a semi-annual dividend of 3 per cent to its stockholders.

Juggling Paid Well.

President Turner testified that the Agency company not only expended the $25,000 which it had bound itself to furnish, but it advanced other sums which it was not obligated to pay. It was shown at the hearing that since 1894 it has received $823,234.07 from the insurance company. Its annual dividends in the last three years have been 12 per cent.

In 1905 the Agency company voluntarily surrendered its contract for 5 per cent of the gross premiums so as to cut down the returns which it was receiving from the investment apparently. It entered into a new contract whereby the Security Life Insurance company bound itself to turn over to the Agency company enough money to insure the payment of a 12 per cent dividend on the $175,000 of capital stock after Turner's salary had been paid. This contract is still in force.

At the annual meeting of the Equitable Life Assurance society today Sir William Mather of Manchester, England, Alexander C. Humphreys and J. Edward Swanstrom of New York, and Tom Randolph, president of the Commonwealth Trust company of St. Louis, were elected directors.

The Mutual's board of trustees met today to consider the election of a successor to President McCurdy, but adjourned without action. The name of Charles A. Peabody was proposed, but after considerable discussion rejected.

Russian General Killed by a Woman.

GENERAL SAKHAROFF

Gen. Sakharoff, who has been assassinated at Saratoff by a woman revolutionist, was one of the big men of the Russian army. He succeeded Gen. Kouropatkin as minister of war when Kouropatkin went to Manchuria in 1904. He was 65 years old and was a veteran of the war with Turkey. His younger brother was Kouropatkin's chief of staff in Manchuria.

CLEAR SKY FOR GERMANY.

VON BUELOW SEES ONLY PEACE WITH OTHER POWERS.

Chancellor Declares in Reichstag Speech That Relations with Great Britain Are Improving and That There Is No Quarrel Over Any Pretext with France—Kaiser Only Upholds Empire's Rights in Moroccan Dispute.

BERLIN, Dec. 6.—Chancellor von Bülow in the reichstag today spoke at length upon Germany's foreign relations, especially with England, France, and Japan.

Prince von Bülow admitted that Germany must reckon with a deep seated antipathy in Great Britain, but at the same time he greeted with satisfaction the recent signs of an improved feeling on the part of the British people toward Germany. He said he would fain see therein the beginning of the restoration of a mutual understanding, now interrupted, between two great peoples of a similar civilization. The change in the British ministry, he said, would improve relations.

Between Germany and the other two members of the triple alliance, the chancellor said, not the slightest conflict of interests existed; nevertheless Germany must be strong enough to stand alone without allies if need be.

No Trouble in Far East.

The relations between Germany and Japan, Prince von Bülow said, were good and friendly, and he refused to believe that Japan would disregard the treaty rights of Germany, which had never sought anything else in the far east than an open door for German trade and industry. It was for this reason that Germany wanted to preserve the integrity and independence of China.

The chancellor then discussed the Moroccan question, pointing out that Germany was pursuing well grounded rights and was not playing the rôle of wanton mischief maker. He maintained that Germany was a peace loving nation, and said that the idea of German thirst for revenge against France was absurd.

Finances in Bad Way.

In a speech earlier in the day the chancellor painted a gloomy picture of German finances. He said that Germany since 1875 had been living from hand to mouth. The empire until 1875 was free from debt. Now the empire owed $875,000,000. The debt of the empire and those of the confederated German states amounted to $3,750,000,000, or over $62 per capita. The debts of some of the other great states were: Austria, $2,000,000,000; Hungary, $2,025,000,000; Italy, $2,500,000,000; France, $6,000,000,000; and Great Britain, $4,000,000,000.

The United States, while Germany had been increasing her debt to the great sum he had mentioned, had reduced her debt of $8,480,000,000 to less than $900,000,000. The other states also had regular plans for the gradual reduction of their debts.

HOME RULE ONLY IRISH ISSUE.

Nationalists Uncompromising in Demands—William O'Brien and His Supporters Are Outlawed.

DUBLIN, Dec. 6.—The nationalist convention today was an uncompromising home rule meeting. Resolutions were passed denouncing the government of Ireland, outlawing William O'Brien and his supporters unless they signed the party pledges, expressing disbelief in the promises of the liberals, and pledging absolute support to John Redmond as leader of the Irish parliamentary party. The moderates were howled down and their speakers forced to leave the platform.

The convention will continue tomorrow, but there is no evidence that the incoming liberal government can expect more support from the nationalists in the next parliament than the unionists have received, unless Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman switches for home rule.

The declarations of the leaders and the resolutions passed at today's session mean continued opposition to the government until absolute home rule has been granted to Ireland.

NOTES FROM FOREIGN LANDS.

LONDON.—Another American heiress has joined the British peerage through the marriage of Eloise, daughter of the late W. L. Breese of New York, to Lord Willoughby Eresby, heir of the earl of Ancaster.

BUDAPEST.—The boycott of the compositors against the newspapers which are opposing universal suffrage is extending. Sixteen dailies either could not be published or appeared in restricted form.

PARIS.—The foreign office here considers that the controversy between the powers and Turkey is practically closed, and that only details remain to be settled previous to securing a satisfactory adjustment.

THE NORTH SHORE SPECIAL.

Magnificent 6:00 P. M. Train to Milwaukee.

Leaves Chicago 6:00 p. m. via the Northwestern Line. Table d'hôte dinner. Arrive at Milwaukee 7:35 p. m. Nineteen trains a day between the two cities via the beautiful North Shore Route. Ticket offices, 212 Clark-st. and Wells-st. Station. (Tel. Cent. 721.)

FRANCE FREE OF CHURCH.

END OF LONG AND BITTER STRUGGLE FOR SEPARATION.

Senate Passes Bill by Vote of 181 to 102 Amid Enthusiastic Scenes and Cries of "Long Live the Republic" and "Long Live Liberty"—Measure Already Through Chamber of Deputies—Goes Into Effect at Once—History of the Famous Concordat.

PARIS, Dec. 6.—The senate today, after a long debate, adopted the bill for the separation of church and state by a vote of 181 against 102. The vote was announced amid enthusiastic scenes and cries of "Long live the republic!" and "Long live liberty!" The bill passed the chamber of deputies last July.

This is the final parliamentary stage of the bill, which will be promulgated in the Official Journal tomorrow, when it will become effective immediately. The council of state will devote three months to the framing of the administrative details of the new régime.

French Clergy to Accept.

The action of the vatican regarding the law has not yet been definitely announced. The French clergy, while opposing the measure, appear to be disposed to conform to the new system.

The fundamental principles of the bill insure entire liberty of conscience respecting religion, with restrictions concerning the exercise of religion which are intended to preserve public order.

In the future the state will be entirely free from connection with all religious sects.

History of the Concordat.

The passage of the bill marks the culmination of the strained relations which have long existed between the French government and the vatican. It sweeps away a system which dates from 1801, when the famous concordat was signed by Pius VII. and Napoleon. This gave religion a governmental status, the churches being government property, with a clergy paid by the state, and the entire church administration being under the direction of a member of the president's cabinet. The new system abolishes all laws and regulations under the concordat and terminates the authority of the concordat itself.

CANADA MAKING PROGRESS? YES, BACKWARD: SARAH'S QUIP.

Bernhardt Likens Church Ridden Country to Turkey—Declares It Has Produced No Real Men.

Ottawa, Ont., Dec. 6.—[Special.]—Mme. Sarah Bernhardt reached Ottawa today with her company. She says the attack upon her in Quebec last night was the work of some "irresponsible young fool students" who objected to an interview with her in one of the newspapers. She slurred Canadians in this talk and was attacked with eggs in consequence. This is what she is reported to have said, the cause of all the trouble:

"I love Canada, but understand nothing about your people. You have English-Canadians, Irish-Canadians, French-Canadians, Iroquois-Canadians, but will you tell me why you call yourselves French-Canadians? French-Canadians! French! you people! Why? You have hardly a drop of French blood in your veins!

"You have a fine country, but that is all. Agriculture has gone ahead, but the rest has stood still. You have no painters; you have no students; you have no sculptors; you have no poets; you have no men. You have progressed in twenty-five years, but backward."

And to express that opinion, Bernhardt made a gesture which conveyed all her contempt. And then she added:

"You owe to the clergy that progress backwards, which makes your country look like Turkey."

TOO MANY LAWS, ECKELS SAYS.

Former Controller of Currency Tells Bankers Multiplicity of Business Statutes Is to Be Deplored.

New York, Dec. 6.—In responding to the toast, "The Legislative 'Be It Enacted,'" at the New York bankers' dinner tonight, James H. Eckels, former controller of the currency, reiterated his criticism of present day multiplicity of statutes. He deplored the tendency of lawmakers to unduly regulate and harass corporations. No people had ever been, or ever will be, educated into honesty by the mere enactment of statutory measures, he said.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

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EXPLORER BACK FROM THE ARCTIC

Capt. Amundsen Makes Northwest Passage First Time in History.

THREE YEARS IN THE ICE.

Locates the North Magnetic Pole, Goal Long Strived For by Scientists.

Seattle, Wash., Dec. 6.—[Special.]—Capt. Amundsen, commander of the Norwegian arctic exploration expedition, has arrived at Engle City, Alaska, after having completed the northwest passage, the first explorer in history to have done so.

The only details of his expedition are those contained in the following message, which he sent to Dr. Fridtjof Nansen, the arctic explorer at Christiania:

Fort Egbert, Eagle City, Alaska, Dec. 5.—To Nansen, Christiania, Norway: Gjoa is wintering at King Point, 69 degrees, 45 minutes west. All well.

Left here Aug. 13, at which time the harbor was free from ice. On Aug. 26 sighted the first vessel, the schooner Charles Hansen of San Francisco, Capt. McKenna, twenty-five kilometers south of Nelson Head, Barring Land; passed two whalers east of Cape Bathurst, and saw two whalers, the Alexander and Braw Head of San Francisco, Capts. Tilton and Cook, anchored at Cooper island. Passed the schooner Bonanza of San Francisco grounded off King Point.

"Fleet of American whalers overtaken here by rapid progress of winter. Twelve wintering here, five at Herschel island, six to the east, and one wrecked on the shore. Out of the twelve only three intended wintering.

Land surveyed in the spring of 1905 to 72 degress and 10 minutes north, magnetic observation, King William Land, finished June 1.

Left Herschel Oct. 24 with dog sled and arrived here today. Will be at Fort Yukon in six days, where mail will reach me.

Wire $500 as soon as possible.

How is the political situation?

ROALD AMUNDSEN.

Started June 1, 1903.

Capt. Amundsen left Norway at midnight of June 1, 1903 and his first stop was at God Haven, Greenland, for dogs. The first base station was established in the vicinity of North Somerset, in Leopold harbor, where he made absolute magnetic observations and operated his self-registering instruments for a time. This was in 1904. From the base station Amundsen made sledge trips for magnetic observations.

Carrying out his plans to a nicety, Capt. Amundsen located his base station on King Williams island in the summer of this year and set up his self-registering instruments. He also located the true magnetic pole on King Williams island, and is believed to have found the monument erected by Sir John Franklin's expedition.

Ahead of His Program.

The original intention of Amendsen was to reach Herschel island, in Mackenzie bay, north of Yukon territory, in the summer of 1906, establish his base there, and open communication with Fort McPherson of the Hudson Bay company, at the head of Mackenzie bay. Later his plans were altered and he brought the Gjoa from Herschel to King point to winter. King point is in Mackenzie bay on the mainland, fifty miles southeast of Herschel island.

Capt. Amendsen left Herschel island on Oct. 24, and arrived overland at Fort Egbert, near Eagle City, Alaska, on Dec. 5.

His return trip will be made by the way of Bering strait, and he proposes to stop at Sitka and make his final observations there at the United States coast and geodetic survey magnetic observatory for the determination of instrumental constants.

Surveys Magnetic Area.

Capt. Amendsen made a complete and systematic magnetic survey of the region about the magnetic pole, from which an accurate location of the pole is believed to have resulted.

The determination of the north magnetic pole by Capt. James Clark Ross in June, 1831, rested on a single determination. Local disturbances may be expected in that region, and it was not believed that his determination was reliable. His position was on Boothia Felix, in north latitude 70 degrees, 5 minutes, and 17 seconds, and west longitude 96 degrees, 45 minutes, and 48 seconds. It has been generally believed that the magnetic pole is subject to a fluctuation in its position and it is hoped that Amendsen's work will throw some light upon the rate and direction of motion.

Capt. Amendsen is without money, and today a Seattle newspaper cabled him $100 to supply his immediate needs.

Value of His Discovery.

Up to the date of Capt. Amundsen's dispatch it has been known that there was a northwest passage from the Atlantic to the Pacific, but no vessel had ever traversed it. Nordenskjöld took his ship, the Vega, through the northeast passage, along the coast of Asia, but no vessel had ever made the northwest passage.

It was known, however, that the northwest passage existed, because vessels, battling with the ice, had passed part way through, and men, hauling sledges over the sea ice, filled in the gaps and thus were able to chart the coast line and the islands north of the passage.

Amundsen's location of the north magnetic pole will be of great value to science, especially if he succeeded, as he purposed, in determining whether the magnetic pole was a fixed point or a circumscribed area. If he found it was an area he proposed to make stations clear around it, so as to completely circle the magnetic pole.

Clears Up a Mystery.

The importance of Amundsen's work may be judged from the fact that Columbus found in 1492 that the needle of the compass in one part of the Atlantic pointed to the west of north and in another part of the Atlantic to the east of north. This variation has been noted in every compass for more than 400 years, and yet science has never discovered why. If Amundsen has located exactly the north magnetic pole the variation in the compass may be computed from a fixed basis and the work of navigation and surveying be greately simplified.

DEATH IN THRONGED STREET FELLS GIFT LADEN WOMAN.

Jostling She Hoped to Escape by Early Quest Proves Fatal to Christmas Shopper in Philadelphia.

Philadelphia, Pa., Dec. 6.—[Special.]—While loaded down with Christmas gifts, which she had purchased for friends, Mrs. Emma Barto, 58 years old, of 422 Mechanic street, Camden, collapsed today at Eighth and Market streets and died a few minutes after her removal to Jefferson hospital. With her at the time was her married daughter, Mrs. Kate Lonhart.

To escape the crowds in the stores just before Christmas the two women concluded to do their shopping early. When she started for the city Mrs. Barto was apparently in good health. With her daughter she visited nearly all the big department stores.

The bundles she carried and the jostling she received caused Mrs. Barto to complain of fatigue. She and her daughter had just come out of a store when she collapsed.

EVERYBODY WORKS BUT: J. D. JR.

Young Mr. Rockefeller Joins Sunday School Class in Singing Popular Ditty.

New York, Dec. 6.—[Special.]—John D. Rockefeller Jr. helped his Sunday school class sing "Everybody Works but Father," at its annual dinner at Hotel Vendome tonight.

Appointed Member of Election Board.

Abel A. Bach, who has been appointed a member of the board of election commissioners to succeed William C. Malley, has been a deputy United States marshal since 1900 and is vice-president of the Thirty-first Ward Republican club. He was born in Cook county in 1859 and came to Chicago in 1886. He early engaged in the house moving business, which he continued until 1893, when he was appointed assistant county agent in charge of the towns of Hyde Park, Lake and Calumet. In 1896 he became deputy coroner under Coroner George Berz, which position he held until he was appointed a deputy marshal. He is married and lives at 6005 La Salle street.

LAWYER PLEADS FOR LIFE

ALBERT PATRICK SENTENCED TO DIE IN WEEK OF JAN. 22.

New York Attorney, Convicted of Murder of William Marsh Rice, Appears in Court to Hear Date Fixed for His Execution—Addresses the Judge and Declares He Was Found Guilty on False Evidence Manufactured by the District Attorney.

New York, Dec. 6.—[Special.]—Albert T. Patrick was brought from Sing Sing today to be resentenced to the electric chair for the murder of William Marsh Rice. He was resentenced to die the week of Jan. 22 next. But before this was accomplished he made a half hour plea, in which he declared, with great vehemence and some bitterness, that he had been convicted by fraud, manufactured evidence, and false testimony, connived at and participated in by the district attorney. He could prove it, he asserted, and even went so far as to suggest the Court of Appeals judge had an "illegal" interest in affirming his conviction.

Dramatic Moment in Court.

It was a dramatic point. The crowd that had hung on for hours waiting to hear the death sentence passed on Patrick filled the Supreme court, criminal branch. The courtroom was literally standing up and stretching to get every word Patrick said.

Patrick's voice was mild at first, but it became stronger. He wouldn't rehash his case, he said, but he gave concisely and briefly its history from his trial to the present time. Then he said:

"This appeal is not merely for protection. I am asserting my legal rights. I now have my day in court and if I have any legal reasons why I should be heard I should assert them."

Claims Evidence Was "Made."

"It frequently happens in the case of murder," continued Patrick, "that dead persons, or a supposedly dead person, turns up. I am not going to say that William Marsh Rice will turn up alive, but in a case where life and liberty are at stake your honor has a right to review the case, if conviction has been obtained by fraud.

"The question is, whether William Marsh Rice was killed. I am ready to show by newly discovered evidence that the district attorney knew he wasn't killed, and that the district attorney knew at the trial that false, fraudulent, and manufactured evidence was produced for the purpose of convicting a person presumed to be innocent. I am ready to show that I know that evidence was produced with the knowledge of the district attorney—I don't mean any particular person (pointing to Mr. Jerome)—to accomplish a false and fraudulent conviction."

It was remarked that Patrick's presentation of his case was much clearer than his lawyer's. He was taken back to Sing Sing.

AUTHORESS IS NEAR DEATH.

Miss Mary Johnston, Who Wrote "To Have and to Hold," Critically Ill at Richmond, Va.

Richmond, Va., Dec. 6.—[Special.]—Miss Mary Johnston, author of "To Have and to Hold," hovers between life and death in this city. Her youngest sister, Miss Elizabeth Johnston, has been summoned from the south to her bedside, as has her brother, John W. Johnston of New York. The authoress is unconscious, however, and recognizes no one. Miss Johnston is suffering from Bright's disease. While her death momentarily is expected, it is barely possible she may linger some time.

Author to Read at Y. W. C. A. Meeting

Mrs. Mary Moncure Parker will read two selections from her own writings at a meeting of the Y. W. C. A. to be held tonight in the association building at 288 Michigan avenue.

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POLITICS A LEVER IN ROGERS CASE.

Charge Is Made That Condemned Murderess Is Offered as Sacrifice by Party.

FINAL BID TO SAVE HER.

Attorneys Wait for Bell's Home Coming to Play Last Card—Gallows Being Erected.

Windsor, Vt., Dec. 6.—[Special.]—While a carpenter for the third time is erecting the gallows for the execution of Mrs. Mary Rogers, her attorneys are making a last desperate effort to force a third reprieve from Gov. Bell. State politics have entered into the noted case, and it is upon this new development that the condemned woman's lawyers base their final endeavor to save her.

It is openly asserted here that anti-machine republicans as well as democrats will make an issue of the Rogers case. If Gov. Bell remains obdurate, it is predicted that his party will suffer.

Woman a Political Vampire.

Inside the state, as well as without, this question is asked: Why should the authorities of Vermont be so stubborn in the case of Mrs. Rogers when leniency has been shown toward other men and women under sentence of death for crimes equally atrocious and with even less extenuating circumstances?

The answer is politics. Before Marcus Rogers was murdered by his wife some Vermont paper editorially claimed that the statute in Vermont which dealt with capital punishment was a farce. Opposing press and politicians took up the statement and made it an issue. The next murder to be committed was that of Rogers by his wife and two accomplices, one of whom is serving a life sentence, while the other has gone free.

More than half the state now claims that Mary Rogers, sentenced to die in two days more, is a victim of political exigency.

Rival Candidate Her Champion.

Percival W. Clement, avowed candidate for governor on the republican anti-machine ticket, is known to have sent a letter to Gov. Bell while he was in Chicago begging him to take some favorable action in the case. It is not known how far Clement went in his appeal, but that he fully and forcibly voiced his wishes is certain.

It is believed that this letter is the card which attorneys for Mrs. Rogers are going to play.

Women Beg for Clemency.

Cleveland, O., Dec. 6.—The executive board of the United Women of the Republic, in session here today, sent the following telegram to Gov. Bell of Vermont:

The United Women of the Republic hereby ask you to extend clemency to Mary Rogers. It would be a shame and a disgrace in this enlightened day to execute a woman who for her actions was irresponsible at all times. We pray God will show you the way to avoid the execution of this woman.

MRS. STEPHEN BUHRER, President.

Gov. Bell Meets One Critic.

South Bend, Ind., Dec. 6.—[Special.]—Gov. Bell of Vermont, and party visited Notre Dame university today and while there the governor was introduced to Prof. Greene, head of the department of pharmacy. The latter several months ago was arrested after sending a postal card to Gov. Bell. The postal condemned Gov. Bell for refusing to commute Mrs. Rogers' sentence and at the time caused a sensation all over the country. When Gov. Bell came to South Bend he did not associate Greene with the city and the meeting was unexpected. The introduction was made by President John Cavanaugh and, notwithstanding circumstances, the statesman and the educator treated each other with every courtesy. Gov. Bell reiterated his previous statements that he could not interfere with the execution of Mrs. Rogers.

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JEKYLL AND HYDE ATTORNEY GUILTY

New York Lawyer Convicted of Blackmail Will Be Sentenced Next Week.

IN DUAL ROLE FOR GAIN.

W. E. Corey Admits He Would Welcome Action for Divorce on Wife's Part.

NEW YORK BUREAU CHICAGO TRIBUNE. } New York, Dec. 6. {

Thomas P. Wickes, a prominent attorney and former assistant corporation counsel, today was found guilty of blackmail in the criminal branch of the Supreme court. He was remanded for sentence next week.

Jekyll and Hyde Attorney Guilty of Blackmail.

The case of Wickes is one of the most peculiar in the criminal annals of the city, and the man himself has come to be known as the "Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde" of the legal profession. While occupying a prominent place among his fellows in the legal profession and enjoying a high reputation, it has been learned that under the name of "Lewis Jarvis," which he assumed for the purpose, Wickes wrote hundreds of letters to persons who were interested in cases with which he was connected. Nearly all of these letters were confined entirely to praise of Wickes the man and his ability in the legal profession. Clients were congratulated upon having obtained his services, and prospective clients were advised to retain him at any cost.

To Dr. Edward Weston of Newark, N. J., several of these "Lewis Jarvis" letters were written. Wickes was arrested when he went to a postoffice for letters addressed to "Lewis Jarvis." During the trial he admitted that he was the writer.

William E. Corey, president of the United States Steel corporation, made a statement today with reference to a report that he and Mrs. Corey had separated and that he intended to marry Miss Mabelle Gilman, the actress, after his wife obtained a divorce. Mr. Corey said:

Corey Admits He Would Welcome Divorce.

"The subject matter of recent publications, personal to myself and some others, is of such a painful character that I have hesitated to say anything in regard to it, and perhaps have been unjust to myself and to the press in declining to admit the whole truth when questioned. However, in view of what has been published, I have decided to make a statement which covers the situation. I do this more to protect the good name of others than my own.

"Mrs. Corey and I have had disagreements. Our differences are irreconcilable. I have been informed and believe she is residing in Nevada. She may have contemplated a divorce, and if she applies for one I shall not oppose it if it is legally obtained and does not involve me in any moral turpitude. Whether she does or not I am in duty bound to provide her a comfortable support, and shall do so. I have been for a long time well acquainted with a lady whose name has been prominently connected with mine, but there never has been any conduct between us of which either of us need be ashamed. Any suggestion to the contrary would be a great injustice."

That it is an unsound view of the law under which the recanvass of the vote of the ballot boxes as part of the county canvass has been permitted and mandamus proceedings is the unanimous opinion of the Appellate division of the Supreme court in this department, Justices O'Brien, Laughlin, Patterson, Ingraham, and Clarke. Their decision in the Hearst case, announced today, says that if Justice Amend had power to open the ballot boxes at all by mandamus as part of the canvass of the vote cast at the recent election he has no power to restrict the recanvass of the vote by the inspectors which he ordered.

Appellate Court Orders Complete Recanvass of Vote.

The appellate division is of opinion that the court below had no power to open boxes at all by mandamus for the purpose of recount as part of the county canvass. The court decides, however, that as the dictum of Judge Parker in the Court of Appeals in the Wray case and a decision of the Appellate division in the Stiles case appear to support the contrary view it will, while holding this contrary view to be unsound, not vacate Justice Amend's order, but amend it so as to make it call for a complete recanvass.

Andrew Carnegie made an address on the "Solution of the Negro Problem" this afternoon at the annual meeting of the Armstrong association held at the residence of William J. Schieffelin. Incidentally, Mr. Carnegie lost himself in the crowd. Mr. Schieffelin got up and read a note explaining that Mr. Carnegie had spent the night and early morning with Mark Twain, got mixed a little in his dates, and had gone to the golf links "to brighten up a bit."

Carnegie Not Lost, as Thought; Gives $10,000.

"Mr. Carnegie says that if his automobile doesn't smash up he'll be with us at 5 o'clock," concluded Mr. Schieffelin.

A little gray haired, red cheeked man stood up at this point and pointed at Schieffelin a stub of red pencil with the rubber chewed off. The trousers of his rough gray business suit bagged at the knees, and his small black store tie was unfastened from the patent hook on the collar elastic. His blue eyes were twinkling. Mr. Schieffelin blushed and beckoned Mr. Carnegie to the front. After Mr. Carnegie spoke he contributed $10,000 to the cause.

Coming to the United States to lodge a formal protest against the establishment of the Japanese protectorate over Corea, Min Yueng-Tchan, late Corean minister to France, was informed upon his arrival today of the tragic death of his brother, Min Yong-Whan. The brother, who was formerly Corean minister to the United States, took his life at Seoul several days ago as a protest against the Japanese protectorate. Min Yueng-Tchan was altogether unprepared for the news, and he was almost prostrated when informed of his brother's death. In Corea when a man takes his own life it is the custom for his brother, also, to commit suicide. Mr Min said, however, that he could not prophesy his future action.

Corean Told of Brother's Death; Action Uncertain.

"I know it is not the custom in this country to do such a thing," he said. "I do not know what I shall do. I cannot say."

Charles T. Yerkes, the Chicago financier, is seriously ill at his rooms in the Waldorf-Astoria. His illness is due to kidney trouble, the exact nature of which his physicians refuse to divulge, but which they characterize as a "progressive" disease. "Mr. Yerkes has been afflicted with the disease for some time," one of his physicians said tonight. "On two or three previous occasions the disease reached an acute stage, and it is at such a stage at present. We are hopeful Mr. Yerkes' vitality will prove sufficiently strong to pass him through the crisis, but the fact that his condition is critical is recognized by every one who has been called in consultation."

Charles T. Yerkes' Illness Critical.

DEATHS.

[For other death notices see page 12.]

VASOLD—Mrs. Margaret Ellen Vasold, beloved wife of Max Vasold, daughter of the late Richard P. and Margaret Wilson, aged 48, died Dec. 4, 1905. Funeral Saturday, Dec. 9, 1 p. m., from 531 North Pine-av., Austin, Ill.

RECIPROCITY BILL SLATED TO PASS.

(Continued from first page.)

treaty has opened the eyes of officials and members of congress alike to the fact that unless we adopt the same system we practically will be barred out of every country in Europe except Great Britain, whose free trade principles and whose inability to protect herself in cases of tariff warfare already have resulted disastrously to her own market.

This maximum and minimum tariff idea as the foundation stone for the great reciprocity structure seems likely to prove immensely popular in congress. At the last state convention Massachusetts republicans pronounced for reciprocity, and most of the party leaders throughout the country are in favor of it.

Senator Lodge's bill offered today and the more important one which is to come soon from the ways and means committee point the way to securing reciprocity without the slightest interference with the graven image of excessive protection which the standpatters worship in their walking dreams. Gov. Cummins and Secretary Shaw alike can bow the knee before the ingenious device of the maximum and minimum tariff, which preserves the Dingley law in all its integrity, but at the same time enables the president by a simple administrative act without the necessity of an appeal to congress, but in the promptest possible manner, to apply the necessary correction to any attempt on the part of a European nation to crowd our commerce into a corner.

No Hope for Isle of Pines.

There was a meeting of the foreign relations committee this morning at which Senator Foraker of Ohio presented a long report giving the complete history of the Isle of Pines and its relations to the United States and Cuba. The senator found, as Secretary Root already has found, that the island is clearly the property of Cuba and it could not be taken away from that republic except by an act of downright injustice and aggression.

His report also insists that there never has been any legal declaration by any authorized official of the United States to the effect that this island had been or would be held as American territory. He showed, on the contrary, that for a century before the Spanish war the Isle of Pines had been an administrative part of Cuba and never had enjoyed any other sovereignty.

It was shown that the island was not mentioned in the treaty of peace because no one doubted it was a part of Cuba. It was reserved subsequently, according to the report, for future settlement as to its ownership out of deference to the wishes of some Americans who had settled there and also in order to furnish means of compelling the Cubans to carry out their promises regarding a naval station.

It is said that the Isle of Pines treaty surely will be ratified by the senate, although there will be a fight, led by Senator Penrose of Pennsylvania, one of whose Pittsburg constituents is the principal stockholder in the Isle of Pines Improvement company, which hopes to make a summer resort there.

SENATOR PROCTOR TO RESIGN?

Vermonter Makes No Statement as to Rumor That He Will Retire in Near Future.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 6.—An intimation by Senator Proctor of Vermont that he might retire from the senate on March 3, 1909, two years in advance of the expiration of his term, caused the report that he would resign in the near future. Senator Proctor has made no definite statement as to his future intention.

THREAT TO KILL MICHALEK

Chicago Representative Receives Letter Warning Him Not to Attempt to Take Seat in Congress.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 6.—[Special.]—Representative Michalek has received a letter from a person evidently living in his district in Chicago threatening his life if he attempts to retain his seat in the house. The letter is unsigned and contains nothing which throws light on its authorship.

NATIONAL CAPITAL NOTES.

Among the nominations sent to the senate was that of Seth Bullock of Deadwood, S. D., to be United States marshal in South Dakota. Capt. Bullock, who is at present superintendent of the Black Hills forest reserve, is a personal friend of the president. He commanded a company of Rough Riders in the last inaugural parade.

The president nominated James F. Tracey of New York to be associate justice of the Philippine Supreme court.

HOPKINS AFTER MORRISON

DISTRICT ATTORNEY HAS NARROW CALL FOR OFFICIAL LIFE.

President Directs That Name Go to Senate with the Other Illinois Nominations — Senator Has Them All Held Up at the Last Minute—Fate Now in Doubt — Strong Friends Work Hard to Save Postmaster Coyne's Head.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 6.—[Special.]—District Attorney Morrison of Chicago has had a narrow squeak for his official life. The attorney general sent his nomination to the White house yesterday for transmission to the senate and the president directed that it go in with other Illinois nominations. At the last minute, however, all were held up in compliance with the request of Senator Hopkins.

It developed today that Senator Hopkins recommended Mr. Morrison's appointment with the understanding that it was temporary and that it should end with the prosecution of the beef trust. Senator Cullom assented to this condition, though he favors Morrison. The clerks in the department of justice knowing nothing of the temporary character of Mr. Morrison's appointment prepared his nomination for the regular term and sent it to the White house.

Hopkins Opposed to Morrison.

Senator Hopkins has no candidate, so far as can be learned, for the office which Mr. Morrison holds, but he seemed of the opinion that Mr. Morrison should not be permanently appointed. At least this is the explanation officially made today, and Senator Cullom and Senator Hopkins would say nothing about the matter.

Senator Cullom and Senator Hopkins have not arranged the Chicago appointments up to this time. Postmaster Coyne saw the president today, and the latter expressed himself as favoring his candidacy. The president has been receiving some strong telegrams and letters concerning Mr. Coyne. Civil Service Commissioner Cooley is understood to have strongly indorsed him, asserting it would be a misfortune if he were not continued in office.

Cortelyou Plans New Reform.

It was brought out today that Postmaster General Cortelyou has decided to apply what means in effect civil service reform in the appointment of postmasters, and that where the term of such an official has expired he will be continued in the service if his record is reported to be "good" or "excellent." While an official utterance on this point is not forthcoming, it is known that President Roosevelt is in hearty accord with Mr. Cortelyou's policy, which is regarded in some quarters as revolutionary, and as likely to create a serious breech between th administration and a majority of the republican members in the house.

Most of the members who talked with First Assistant Hitchcock today protested vehemently against the application of the merit principle to postmasters, declaring it would b productive of great mischief and that its effect would be to rob the representative of the last vestige of patronage that remains at his disposal. There were some exceptions, however.

AIMS BLOW AT CAMPAIGN FUNDS

Bill Introduced in Senate Making It a Felony for Insurance or Other Corporations to Contribute.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 6.—Senator Culberson introduced a bill today making it a felony for an insurance company or any other corporation to contribute money or anything of value toward the election of a president or a vice president of the United States. It is likewise made a felony for any person to knowingly use for such campaign purposes any money contributed by a corporation. The bill prescribes a penalty of not less than two years or more than twenty years' imprisonment.

Along the same lines Senator Tillman offered two resolutions. The first directs the secretary of the treasury to report to the senate whether any of the reports of the examiners of national banks made since 1893 have been destroyed and whether such reports as are on file show that contributions have been made by the banks to campaign committees. The other resolution directs the senate committee on privileges and elections to inquire into the same subject.

Among the notable bills introduced in the senate and house today were the following:

By Senator Foraker—To provide for the regulation of freight rates.

By Senator Lodge—To amend the Dingley tariff law providing for maximum and minimum rates of duty so as to give preference and advantage to the products of those countries which do not discriminate against products of the United States.

By Senator Newlands—A resolution providing for national incorporation of railroads.

By Representative Hepburn of Iowa—The pure food bill that was favorably reported by the house committee on interstate and foreign commerce at the last session and passed by the house.

By Senator Hopkins, a joint resolution authorizing Richard T. Crane of Chicago to erect a monument in Washington in honor of Gen. Meigs.

By Representative Townsend, a bill to give the interstate commerce commission power to regulate freight rates.

$16,500,000 READY FOR PANAMA CANAL

House Finishes Debate on Emergency Measure and It Will Pass Today.

WANT DETAILED REPORT

Democrats and Republicans Alike Criticise Lack of Itemized Showing of Expenditures.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 6.—With an opportunity for unlimited debate on the subject of the Panama canal the house exhausted its oratory on that subject in a session of four and three-quarters hours today. The bill appropriating $16,500,000 for canal work, which was the subject of discussion, will be read for amendment and placed on its final passage tomorrow.

The feature of the debate was the criticism indulged in by both republicans and democrats regarding the incompleteness of the statement of expenditures and estimates furnished by the canal commission.

This statement furnished the text for a lively speech by Bourke Cockran [N. Y.], who demanded to know, if members of the house were to blindly follow estimates, what were they here for? If that was the case he did not want to occupy his position on the house floor. He asked Mr. Hepburn what the president meant when he said in his message:

"I earnestly recommend to the congress the need of economy, and to this end a rigid scrutiny of appropriations."

"If the power of appropriation is superfluous and impertinent," continued Mr. Cockran, "it is all a mockery. But I ask this house to declare now that this function is not impertinence, but pertains to the oath which we took no longer ago than Monday, which includes that the treasury shall be guarded by us and not in a perfunctory manner."

Democrats Have Amendments.

Mr. Williams [Miss.], the democratic leader, gave notice of certain amendments he should offer to the bill later. The principal amendment he should offer, he said, would be to strike out the sum of $16,500,000 in the bill and insert an amount he should endeavor to ascertain as the amount actually necessary to carry on the work until Jan. 1 next.

At the suggestion of Mr. Fitzgerald [N. Y.] Mr. Williams said he should also offer an amendment requiring itemized statements of expenditures from the canal commission.

An amendment was offered by Mr. Hill [Conn.] making the canal bonds available as security for national bank circulation.

Hears of a Press Agent.

Mr. Fitzgerald [N. Y.] said that he had been informed that $10,000 a year was being given to a "press agent" in this city. Mr. Hepburn said he knew nothing of such an employé.

"How can congress find out if that is so?" persisted Mr. Fitzgerald. The reply was that Mr. Fitzgerald knew as a member of the house that he could get the information by asking in the proper place for it.

"But does the gentleman think this is a necessary appropriation?" asked Mr. Fitzgerald.

"I do not think it would equal in usefulness an Irishman who could wield a shovel," answered Mr. Hepburn.

Admitting that it might have been better if the estimates had been more in detail, Mr. Hepburn saw no good reason why the appropriation should not be made. He said if the estimates had been in detail it would hardly be the function of members to set up their unprofessional judgment against that of expert engineers. It would be impertinence on his part, he maintained, to set up his judgment against the expert officials who had been selected because of their fitness for this work.

Controversy in the Senate.

A controversy arose in the senate today over a resolution presented by Mr. Newlands directing the interstate commerce commission to draw a national incorporation act for railroads. Mr. Spooner criticised the proceedings as unworthy of the senate.

Mr. Newlands said his only desire was that the senate should avail itself of the knowledge and skill of the commission; but he wanted to secure such a bill and expressed indifference as to its authorship.

LANE'S NOMINATION GOES; PRESIDENT TO STAND PAT.

Opposition of Senators Fails to Move Him—May Be Another Row Like the Crum Appointment.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 6.—[Special.]—President Roosevelt has stirred up republican senators by his action in nominating Franklin Lane of California as member of the interstate commerce commission.

Word was conveyed to him today that in the interests of party harmony and to avoid an unpleasant discussion it might be wise to withdraw the nomination.

The president replied: "If the senate does not approve the nomination it can reject it. I shall not withdraw it."

So there is a merry howdy-do over the vacancy which will occur through the retirement of former Gov. Fifer of Illinois Jan. 1.

The objection which the republican senators make to Lane is that he has the reputation of being too radical, and just at the time when comprehensive railroad rate regulation is about to be passed it is not considered advisable to place a man of such advanced views upon the commission. He is known here as a free silver Bryanite and an advocate of Henry George's single tax theory.

The president regards his appointee as a Roosevelt type of democrat, honest, faithful, and intelligent, and made the selection more than a year ago upon the advice of Benjamin Ide Wheeler.

In talking with callers today who brought up the matter Mr. Roosevelt referred them to the case of the negro Crum he nominated as collector of the port at Charleston, in whose appointment he persisted despite the hostility of the senators. He will nominate and renominate Lane until the senate acts one way or the other.

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In the first place, it is not a cure-all, serving only a singleness of purpose, being a specific for one class of diseases only—those peculiar weaknesses and maladies incident to women. Besides it is the only medicine put up for sale through druggists for the cure of such maladies, all the ingredients of which have the endorsement of leading medical practitioners and writers, as being the very best known remedies for the ailments for which "Favorite Prescription" is advised. All this will be learned to the reader's full satisfaction by perusing a booklet of extracts compiled by Doctor Pierce from standard authorities of the several schools of practice, and which will be sent free to any address on request for same, mailed to Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

In the second place, Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is the only medicine for woman's peculiar weaknesses and affections, all the ingredients of which are printed upon the bottle wrapper in plain English, so that all who take it may know exactly what they are using.

A further reason for the unprecedented popularity of the "Favorite Prescription" of Dr. Pierce for the special use of women, is to be found in the fact that it contains not a drop of alcohol—pure, triple-refined glycerine, of proper strength, being used instead, both for extracting and preserving the medicinal principles extracted from such roots of native, medicinal, forest plants as are employed in its make-up. The printed formula will also bear witness that it contains no narcotics or other harmful or habit-forming drugs, being entirely made up of glyceric extracts of native, American plants of marvelous efficacy in the cure of the diseases peculiar to women.

Now, in this connection, it is well to bear in mind, that, curious as it may seem, yet it is a fact that Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is the only medicine for the cure of women's peculiar weaknesses and maladies that does not contain alcohol and that too in large quantities. This fact can be easily proven; and yet it is a fact well known to all the best physicians that alcohol, even in small quantities, when long continued is very harmful, and especially so to weak, invalid, nervous women. While the effect of spirituous wines and liquors, sold under various enticing names may at first be to exhilarate, brace up and unduly support the system for a brief time, yet a reaction comes sooner or later and the patient is worse off than before. Besides, a craving for alcoholic stimulants has gradually fastened itself upon the poor, deluded, suffering woman—a malady generally more to be dreaded than the original affliction.

Furthermore, Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription has a record of cures extending over a period exceeding one-third of a century and embracing more genuine cases of full and complete recovery than any other medicine in its line can boast of. Thousands have been saved from the operating table and the surgeon's knife by the use of this marvelously efficacious specific for woman's ailments. Other thousands have escaped the disagreeable ordeal of the doctors' questionings, and offensive examinations by taking this remedy and being cured in the privacy of their homes. It has cured thousands of bad, obstinate cases in which doctors had failed and in which cures were thought to be impossible.

What it has done for others it will no doubt, do for you, if similarly afflicted, and you give it a good, fair and faithful trial.

In favor of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription being regarded away above the secret patent medicines of our time, is the frank, confiding, open, honest statement of its full composition, giving every ingredient in plain English, without fear of successful criticism and with confidence that the good sense of afflicted women will lead them to appreciate this honorable manner of confiding to them what they are taking into their stomachs when making use of this medicine.

If suffering from backache, sideache, periodical headaches and other recurring pains at more or less regular intervals, disagreeable drains as if from pelvic catarrh, sickening sensations, dizziness at times, monthly headaches, or any of the many kindred distressful and painful symptoms which accompany female weaknesses, then you cannot find any remedy quite so perfectly adapted for the cure of your malady as Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. Bear in mind, it is not a secret nostrum, is not a patent medicine, to the use of which most intelligent people object because of the close secrecy with which the formulæ of such medicines are held, and which, no doubt are many times harmful in the long run, especially as all those for women contain large quantities of alcohol and oftimes other objectionable ingredients. The only wise and safe course is to use only medicines of known composition, and which, like Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, contain no alcohol or harmful habit-forming drugs.

The exact proportion of the several ingredients used in Dr. Pierce's medicines, as well as the working formula and peculiar processes, apparatus and appliances employed in their manufacture, are withheld from publicity that Dr. Pierce's proprietary rights may not be infringed and trespassed upon by unprincipled imitators and those who may be piratically inclined.

For weak stomachs and the consequent indigestion or dyspepsia, and the multitude of various diseases which result therefrom, no medicine can be better suited as a curative agent than Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. The Golden Seal root, Stone root, Mandrake root and Black Cherry-bark, entering into its composition are all recommended by such eminent authorities as Dr. Bartholow, of Jefferson Medical College; Prof. John King, author of the "American Dispensatory"; Prof. John M. Scudder, late of Cincinnati; Dr. William Paine, author of Paine's Epitomy of Medicine; Prof. Laurence Johnson, M. D., Medical Dept., University of N. Y.; Prof. Edwin M. Hale, M. D., Professor of Materia Medica in the Hahnemann Medical College, Chicago, and many others, as remedies for indigestion and dyspepsia, torpid liver as well as bronchial, throat and lung affections, as will be seen from reading a little booklet recently compiled by Dr. R. V. Pierce, of Buffalo, N. Y., who will send the same on request, by postal card or letter, to any address, free. This little booklet tells of what Dr. Pierce's celebrated medicines are made, and gives the properties and uses of each and every ingredient entering into their composition. Write Dr. Pierce, as above, and receive it by return post.

Queen's root, or Stillingia, is an ingredient entering into the "Golden Medical Discovery" highly recommended by several of the above mentioned authorities for the cure of chronic or lingering bronchial, throat and lung affections, public speaker's sore throat attended with hoarseness, dry, rasping cough and kindred affections. Not only is Queen's root specific in its curative action in all these affections, but in "Golden Medical Discovery" it is greatly assisted by the combination with it of Golden Seal root, Stone root, Black Cherrybark and Bloodroot, with which it is blended in just the right proportion.

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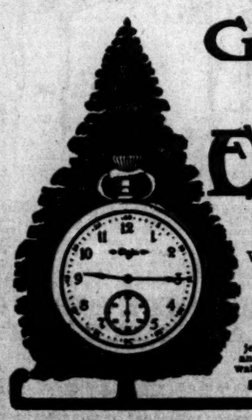

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ROADS DIVIDED ON CUT IN RATES.

Majority Believes Wiser Course Will Be to Accept Reduction Without Protest.

MINORITY IS FOR FIGHT.

Presidents of Railways to Hold a Meeting to Decide What Policy They Will Follow.

Railroad men are divided on the question as to what effect the 20 per cent reduction in the Illinois rates will have on their earnings. There is no unanimity of opinion as to whether it would be wiser for the railroads to take their medicine and make the best of the situation, hoping by increased business and a gradual raising of the low commodity rates to make good the losses due to the cut, or whether to fight the matter in the courts, or whether to take retaliatory measures against the shippers.

To the men who have followed the course of the proceedings carefully the order came as no surprise, in fact there are some executive officials who felt a distinct sensation of relief when they learned that the reduction ordered was no greater than 20 per cent. There are other executives, however, who have blinded themselves with the belief that, by giving the shippers in some of the larger cities voluntary reductions, and getting them to withdraw their petitions before the railroad and warehouse commission, they could forestall any general reduction.

Say Politics Secured Cut.

Strange to say, these men now feel aggrieved to think that the commission has treated them so shabbily and are saying that it is politics and not any real demand for reduced rates which has brought about this order. These men are the ones who are talking retaliation, and they say that the railroads of this state will never sit by quietly and take the loss in revenues. The only way that they can retaliate is to stop using the special commodity rates, which have been put in to aid the manufacturers along their lines to get their raw material cheaper so that they can meet the prices of their competitors in other states where the rates are lower than in Illinois. If all commodity rates should be abolished, then, without doubt, by using the Illinois commissioners' rates on all articles, the railroads could make up fully the loss resulting from the 20 per cent reduction.

But the shrewder railroad men foresee that to do this would only invite more trouble, and that not only would the thousands of manufacturers in the state who have been receiving these commodity rates for thirty or more years protest to the railroads, but they might take the fight up before the railroad and warehouse commission again.

Fear to Abolish Commodity Rates.

It is pointed out by these men that these rates have been put in from time to time to meet special conditions, that the practice of making special commodity rates to aid the manufacturers has been in vogue in this state for more than thirty years, and that to withdraw it would upset conditions more than the new schedule will.

The history of commodity rates is this: Long before there was any railroad commission in this state, or any interstate commerce commission, in fact, when the railroads were supreme and could do as they pleased, certain manufacturers were given special rates which others could not secure. These rates went into the tariff sheet given to the agents of the railroads as "rates for So and So." When a legal ban was put upon this practice the same rates were continued under the name of *commodity* rates, but they were *good for any other* manufacturer using the *same commodity* and located in the same place. For all intents and purposes they still were special rates for special manufacturers and they still are, although in a less restricted sense.

There are a few among the railroad men who are talking of injunction proceedings, but they are in the minority at present.

Art Student Writes a Comic Opera.

MISS JESSIE E. PALMER.

Students of the Art institute are preparing to produce a comic opera entitled "Catastrophe," written by Miss Jessie E. Palmer, one of the students. The piece will be staged in Fullerton hall Dec. 14 under the auspices of the Art Students' league. The opera is described as a burlesque on teachers and students in the Art institute. Several of the cast will make up to represent statues on exhibition in the building. "Jean d'Arc" will be represented by Miss Ethel Stiles and "Venus de Milo" by a young woman yet to be selected. Other members of the cast will be Miss Jessie Davis, Miss Bess Devine, Miss Ella Steinmetz, Frank Zimmerer, J. C. Moreland, Irwin Jirka, and Laurence Herndon.

'WOMAN'S REASON' PICKS SLUGGERS.

Four Witnesses Certain Gilhooley and Companions Attacked Carlstrom.

POINT OUT MEN IN COURT.

Say They Saw Them Assault Wagon Worker; Stories Vary in Detail.

That intangible something known as "a woman's reason" rose up as a black wall before Charles Gilhooley and his fellow-"sluggers" yesterday in their trial for the assault upon Chris J. Carlstrom April 13.

Four women residing in the neighborhood of Princeton avenue and Thirty-second street, where the assault took place, testified positively that Gilhooley was the man they saw beating and kicking the prostrate form of the carriage worker. They ascribed various reasons for their convictions that led them to march down from the witness stand in Judge Chetlain's courtroom and place trembling hands on Gilhooley's broad shoulders.

"We don't know why," they said, "but we just know."

"A woman's reason," whispered the attorneys.

These four women were Mrs. Hilda Carlson, 3121 Shields avenue; Mrs. Jennie Charn, 3151 Princeton avenue; Miss Esther Soderland, 484 Thirty-second street; and Mrs. Mary Brattstrom, 484 Thirty-second street. Fred Liener, the last witness to be called, also pointed the chief defendant out.

Stories Vary in Details.

The stories were dramatic, varying in some details, a fact which was not lost sight of by Attorney W. S. Elliott for the defense in cross examination. Mrs. Brattstrom was trapped into contradicting Miss Soderland concerning the discussion of the case, an error which Assistant State's Attorney Fake was unable to set right on recalling the woman. Two boys who had seen the fight also testified.

Miss Soderland, a demure Swedish girl of the red cheeked, flaxen haired type, told her story with remarkable directness, and through the long ordeal of cross examination bore her part bravely.

She was sitting in the front window of her mother's flat in Princeton avenue in the late afternoon of the April day, she testified, and saw the entire struggle.

"First I noticed a big man leaning against the fence in front of the house," she said, "and a few minutes later he was joined by two smaller men. They stood together. One of the smaller men crossed the street. Then I saw Mr. Carlstrom coming home from work, his dinner pail in his hand. When he came up to the two men they stepped out and spoke a few words to him.

"Suddenly the big man hit Carlstrom in the face. The other man hit him, too, and Mr. Carlstrom fell to the ground. As he lay on the sidewalk both men kicked him in the face. Gilhooley kicked him four times in the face. Leaving him there the two men walked away."

Points Out the Assailants.

"Is the big man in the room?" asked Mr. Fake.

The girl arose and pointed directly at the big defendant.

"That is the man right there," she said.

"Is the other man in the room?" was the next question.

"He is right there," said the girl promptly, pointing at Marcus Looney, Gilhooley's co-defendant.

Attorney Elliott was unable to twist this testimony except in the identification of Looney. He tried to find out why she knew Gilhooley so well, but only received a smile and a "because."

"Is there any reason except that this man was big and dark and you noticed his walk?" asked the attorney in desperation.

"No, except that I know he is the man," said the calm voice.

"How about Looney?"

"I think that is the man," was the final admission, "but I cannot say so positively."

"That is what you mean about Gilhooley, is it not? That it might be the man?" said the attorney in a pleading voice.

"No. I am positive."

Mrs. Brattstrom Saw Assault.

Mrs. Brattstrom sat in the third flat in the same building watching the same scene. Her baby was in her arms. While the fight was on she raised her window and cried:

"Help, help, please help that man."

She testified that Gilhooley kicked Carlstrom three times in the back. She also denied that she ever had discussed the case with any one, while Miss Soderland had said a few minutes before that she and Mrs. Brattstrom had talked it over.

Upon request, she also came from the witness box and picked out Gilhooley by placing her hand on his knee.

Boy Adds His Testimony.

Albert Johnson, a 15 year old boy living at 3147 Princeton avenue, testified that he was playing in the street with two other boys at the time. He was not able to identify any one. He told of seeing the two assailants join a third man in the alley after the struggle.

Philip Meagher, 3131 Princeton avenue, one of Johnson's playmates, also was called. He said Carlstrom got up and jumped over the fence to get his hat after the men left him. He told of Carlstrom meeting his wife, of her wiping the blood from his mouth, and leading him away with his arm around her neck. Both boys cried before they were through with the cross examination.

Fred Liener, a bill collector, 18 years of age, was the last witness. He said he saw the struggle from the porch of a residence a block away, and when asked to do so walked unhesitatingly up to Gilhooley and identified him.

It is probable that Frederick Meckel of the firm that employed Carlstrom will be placed on the stand as the next witness for the prosecution. Judge Chetlain announced that night sessions would begin tonight.

LA FOLLETTE'S PRIMARY BILL IS READY IN WISCONSIN.

Governor's Plan for Cumulative Voting Embodied in a Measure by Committee on Elections.

Madison, Wis., Dec. 6.—[Special.]—In accordance with Gov. La Follette's ideas a primary election cumulative voting bill has been prepared. The committees on privileges and elections have practically agreed on the measure which provides for first and second choice under the primary election system and for the Australian ballot.

There are to be as many tickets as parties and one for nonpartisans. The names of all candidates are to be arranged alphabetically on their respective ballots. At the right of each name is a blank, and in these the voter is asked to mark who is his first and who is his second choice.

The assembly this evening received from the senate the new capitol improvement bill, which had passed the upper house under suspension of the rules. It provides for the erection of a new capitol ultimately, the total cost probably being $5,000,000.

MYSTERY IN HOTEL POISONING.

Feud Resulting from Divorce Suits Blamed for Illness of Forty Guests at Widow's Hostelry.

Middletown, Ind., Dec. 6.—[Special.]—Forty guests at the hotel owned by Mrs. Welch, a widow, were made ill at dinner yesterday, and not until this morning were all declared to be out of danger. The sickness of the guests is attributed to poison, which is believed to be connected in some way with the divorce suits of Mr. and Mrs. Frank W. Cooper, who recently separated. Mrs. Cooper filed a suit against Mrs. Welch for $50,000 damages for alienating her husband's affections, and this litigation still is pending. Mr. Cooper, when he left his home, took up his residence at the Welch hotel. The feeling caused by the suits and sensational allegations made on both sides is accentuated by the attempt to poison guests at the hotel. No direct charges have been made against any one so far.

INDICT TWELVE IN LAND CASE.

Federal Grand Jury's Action Based on Illegal Fencing in Kansas.

Topeka, Kas., Dec. 6.—The federal grand jury in session here today returned indictments against twelve persons for the illegal fencing of grazing lands in northern and western Kansas. Henry S. Boyce of Kansas City, president of the H. S. Boyce Cattle company, and all the officers of that company, as well as the company itself, were among those indicted.

TOO GAY AT PARTY; DIVORCE.

Mrs. Fell, Scion of Royalty, Seeks Separation Because Husband Became Intoxicated at Function.

Philadelphia, Pa., Dec. 6.—[Special.]—Mrs. Robert Gratz Fell has brought suit for divorce, alleging as grounds that her husband became intoxicated at a recent dinner party which she gave to the elite. She is a cousin of the Countess Abercrombie and Princess de Ligouri of Italy. Mrs. Fell is a cousin of Prince Wydish-Gratz, who married the Archduchess Elizabeth of Austria.

City Employe Drops Dead in Office.

Fred Casey, 26 years old, died suddenly from consumption while at work in the city collector's office yesterday afternoon. He was seized within a hemorrhage and died before a physician arrived. The body was taken to the home, 1155 West Jackson boulevard. Casey, who was a brother of John D. Casey, assistant to Judge Cutting in the Probate court, had been employed in the city collector's office for six years.

The Certificate of Deposit.

The National Bank of the Republic of the city of Chicago issues interest bearing certificates of deposit. These certificates have many valuable features, the chief of which is their worthlessness to any one but the rightful owner and their ready convertability into cash.

DENEEN OPPOSES SPECIAL SESSION.

Intimates Legislature Will Not Be Called to Act on Charter Amendment.

JARS ADVOCATES OF PLAN

City Will Be Without Remedial Legislation for Four Years if Decision Is Adverse.

Gov. Deneen threw cold water yesterday on the proposition for a special session of the legislature, which has been considered by some of the Chicago charter advocates. It had been suggested by some of the city officials and charter advocates that a special session should be called in case the Supreme court upheld Judge Mack's decision, holding that the charter amendment had been ratified unconstitutionally.

In case such a decision were handed down, then Chicago would be, for at least four more years, without the remedial legislation, which the last general assembly attempted to enact.

The legislature of 1907 would be asked to pass another charter amendment, providing action were attempted again along the same lines, the amendment would have to go to the people of the state for adoption, and it would be the legislature of 1909 which would attempt again to enact laws based on it.

Arguments for Special Session.

For this reason, some of the charter revisionists have suggested that in case of an adverse decision, the legislature be convened in special session this winter, that the amendment be submitted to the people at the next fall election, and then the general assembly of 1907 could undertake to legislate again in behalf of the city.

Gov. Deneen issued a short formal statement on this point in the afternoon in Springfield, in which he said:

"Regarding a rumor that the legislature might be called in special session to consider anti-pass and Chicago charter legislation the governor said that the matter had been given no consideration."

The language is not emphatic, but it is sufficiently explicit to serve notice on the down state republicans that Gov. Deneen is not thinking of calling a special session of the legislature and entailing additional expense on the state for Chicago legislation. Such action would be taken by a governor only in a great emergency, and in the case of Deneen, being a Chicago man, he would be less liable to call a special session for Chicago legislation than for any other.

There is a possibility that the charter convention, which is set to begin its sessions Dec. 12, may organize and adjourn until the Supreme court has given its decision. It is recognized as a waste of time for such a body to begin work four years in advance of the time, when the legislature can act.

Bach Named Election Commissioner.

Judge Carter of the county court in the afternoon appointed Able A. Bach of the Thirty-first ward to succeed William C. Malley on the board of election commissioners. Mr. Bach, who lives at 6005 La Salle street, is one of Gov. Deneen's friends. He has been a deputy United States marshal and was mentioned as a probable successor to State Factory Inspector Edgar T. Davies. Mr. Malley's term on the board expired on Nov. 7 and he did not wish reappointment.

Commissioner Houston takes Mr. Malley's place as president of the board.

FATHER KILLED AS WAS SON.

Odell, Ill., Postmaster Victim of Accident Similar to That Which Proved Fatal to Boy.

Pontiac, Ill., Dec. 6.—Postmaster R. R. Puffer of Odell was killed this morning by the Rock Island Golden State limited, which uses the Chicago and Alton tracks between Chicago and Kansas City. Mr. Puffer's son was killed in the same manner a few years ago.

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AMERICAN WORKMEN'S BREAD FED TO IMMIGRANTS: GOMPERS

Head of Labor Federation Declares Deluge of Aliens Is a Detriment to Welfare of Laboring Class.

New York, Dec. 6.—On the ground that the overwhelming number of foreigners coming to this country is working against the interests of the American workingman, Samuel Gompers strongly urged the restriction of immigration before the National Civic federation today.

The statement that more than a million immigrants have come to the United States during the last year, and that the south and the west, the sections of the country which needed and wished for these new citizens, did not get them, was made by Frank P. Sargent, United States commissioner general of immigration.

Mr. Sargent recommended that instead of having the majority of foreign immigrants received at the port of New York, as at present, efforts should be made to have them enter at other seaports and equally distributed.

LOOKS INTO RAILROAD REPORT.

Gov. Deneen Starts Investigation of Illinois Central—Company Pays $550,775 to State.

Springfield, Ill., Dec. 6.—[Special.]—Gov. Deneen said today that by virtue of the fact that he is ex-officio a director of the Illinois Central for the purpose of ascertaining the amount of money that should be paid to the state under the company's charter, he had authorized Institution Audit Clerk Frank D. Whipp to investigate the last report, filed with him on Monday last. The report shows the amount due the state for the last six months to be $550,775, which was paid into the state treasury today. Mr. Whipp also will investigate the report filed June 5, 1905.

Mr. Whipp's investigation has nothing whatever to do with that carried on by the auditor and attorney general.

Regarding the rumor of a special session in reference to the anti-pass legislation and a Chicago charter, the governor said he had not given the matter any consideration whatever.

TWO MORE BIG RAILROADS TO ISSUE PASSES NO MORE.

Reading and New Jersey Central Join Pennsylvania in Barring Free Transportation—Others Will Follow Suit.

Philadelphia, Pa., Dec. 6.—George F. Baer, president of the Philadelphia and Reading and of the Central Railroad Company of New Jersey, announced tonight that those lines would issue an anti-pass order similar to the one made public yesterday by the Pennsylvania.

He further stated that he would, as a director of the Lehigh Valley railway company, use his influence with the officials of that road to follow a similar course. The order on the Reading and Jersey Central will take effect Jan. 1.

As the Pennsylvania is interested in the Baltimore and Ohio, Chesapeake and Ohio, and the Norfolk and Western railroads, these lines are also expected to issue anti-pass orders. The Pennsylvania order, it was learned tonight, will also apply to all Pennsylvania lines west of Pittsburg.

Auto Accident Fatal.

Oakland, Cal., Dec. 6.—J. F. Letcher Sims, son of John F. Sims, president of the Western Iron works, who was injured Nov. 28 by being thrown out of an automobile on his head, died today at Providence hospital. Two women, Mrs. Blanche Williams of Alameda, and Mrs. J. F. Sims of Berkeley, claim him as husband.

CHICAGO AND NASHVILLE.

New Through Line of Illinois Central.

Effective Dec. 10, the Illinois Central will inaugurate the "Chicago and Nashville Limited," a solid vestibule fast daily train to run between Chicago and Nashville over the Illinois Central for the entire distance via Mattoon, Evansville, and Hopkinsville, and to leave Chicago at 5:35 p. m., arriving at Nashville 8:10 a. m. The "Limited" will carry a through sleeping car, free reclining chair car and coach to Nashville, and a dining car serving supper out of Chicago. Corresponding through service from Nashville. Tickets and reservations at city ticket office, 99 Adams street. Phone 6270.

The Value of Charcoal.

Few People Know How Useful It Is in Preserving Health and Beauty.

Nearly everybody knows that charcoal is the safest and most efficient disinfectant and purifier in nature, but few realize its value when taken into the human system for the same cleansing purpose.

Charcoal is a remedy that the more you take of it the better; it is not a drug at all, but simply absorbs the gases and impurities always present in the stomach and intestines and carries them out of the system.

Charcoal sweetens the breath after smoking, drinking or after eating onions and other odorous vegetables.

Charcoal effectually clears and improves the complexion, it whitens the teeth and further acts as a natural and eminently safe cathartic.

It absorbs the injurious gases which collect in the stomach and bowels; it disinfects the mouth and throat from the poison of catarrh.

All druggists sell charcoal in one form or another, but probably the best charcoal and the most for the money is in Stuart's Charcoal Lozenges; they are composed of the finest powdered Willow charcoal, and other harmless antiseptics in tablet form, or rather in the form of large, pleasant tasting lozenges, the charcoal being mixed with honey.

The daily use of these lozenges will soon tell in a much improved condition of the general health, better complexion, sweeter breath and purer blood, and the beauty of it is that no possible harm can result from their continued use, but, on the contrary, great benefit.

A Buffalo physician in speaking of the benefits of charcoal says: "I advise Stuart's Charcoal Lozenges to all patients suffering from gas in stomach and bowels, and to clear the complexion and purify the breath, mouth and throat; I also believe the liver is greatly benefited by the daily use of them; they cost but twenty-five cents a box at drug stores, and although in some sense a patent preparation, yet I believe I get more and better charcoal in Stuart's Charcoal Lozenges than in any of the ordinary charcoal tablets."

SEEK TO SETTLE GRAIN RATES.

Officials of Western and Gulf Lines to Decide Whether to Meet St. Paul's Reduction.

There is to be a meeting on Friday of the executive officials of the western and gulf lines to try to settle what shall be done by the other roads about following the example of the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul, which last week announced a reduction on export grain rates. There seems to be a sentiment among the other western roads that they will not reduce their export rates to meet the competition of the St. Paul, because they say they now have more business offered them than they have cars to take care of.

W. J. Underwood Is Advanced.

Announcement was made in the afternoon that W. J. Underwood, assistant general manager of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul has been advanced to general manager, vice H. R. Williams, who recently resigned to become president of the Pacific railroad, the St. Paul's mysterious Pacific coast extension. This appointment fulfills the policy of the St. Paul in advancing its men according to civil service rules.

Although there has been no announcement as to who will succeed Mr. Underwood, it is probable that the rule will be further carried out, and that D. L. Bush, the present general superintendent, will be given the position. In that case, the position of general superintendent probably will be filled by H. B. Earling, brother to President A. J. Earling.

Santa Fe to Build Branch Line.

For the purpose of building a branch line about 100 miles in length through the fertile wheat country of Kansas, the Santa Fé will incorporate in Kansas today the Medicine Valley railroad company. The capital stock probably will be $2,500,000, or at the rate of $25,000 a mile. The road will extend from Medicine Lodge, Kas., in a northwesterly direction along the Medicine river, and will meet the main line of the Santa Fé at a point near Dodge City.

OLD DUTCH BOYS HOLD REUNION

Men Who Came to Chicago Between 1865 and 1875 Discuss Their Former Work.

A call for a reunion of Dutch boys who emigrated from Holland to Chicago during the years from 1865 to 1875 resulted last night in a gathering of thirty-five sober faced, prosperous business and professional men at the Bismarck restaurant.

J. Broekema, who was responsible for the launching of this new society, was made temporary chairman, and George Birkhoff, consul from the Netherlands to Chicago, was made toastmaster of the banquet which followed.

The men who qualified under the call turned out to be physicians, lawyers, merchants, manufacturers, and artists. For hours they recalled the scenes of their arrival in Chicago. In those days, if they were old enough to work, they were put at making clay pipes, errand work in Halsted street stores, digging in sewers, or at whatever trade they happened to know. The gathering may be made an annual affair.

OBITUARY.

MRS. GERTRUDE MANNING DE LAND, Chicago, died yesterday at her residence, 4128 Berkeley avenue. She was a devoted church woman of the Episcopal faith and was the founder of the Gertrude club, which worked in the interests of charity principally through the Visiting Nurses' association. She will be buried at Monroe, Mich.

WILLIAM H. THOMPSON, president of the National Bank of Commerce and regarded as one of the wealthiest, if not the most wealthy, man in St. Louis, is dead, after an illness of several months. The cause of death was severe pneumonia, both lungs having been affected.

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BIG CROWD SEES CITY PARK RACES

Organization of Stock Company Seems to Add Impetus to the Sport.

JIM CROW IS A WINNER.

Captures Steeplechase, Feature Event; Jockeys Thrown, but Not Badly Hurt.

New Orleans, La., Dec. 6.—[Special.]—The action of the New Orleans Jockey club in organizing a stock company within itself, financed by voluntary contributions, to prolong the warfare, seemed to add impetus to the game at the new track today. The crowd was large, speculation brisk, and interest was shown in the sport.

The ring at City park contained seventeen bookmakers, against thirteen at the Fair Grounds.

S. F. Heslip, president of the club and vice president of the inner association of voluntary contributors, could hardly contain himself when the evidences of a prosperous day were brought to him. "This," he said, "shows that we have the home folks with us. We are maintaining a local institution, financed for the most part by local capital. We are not interested in the finer details of racing policies. The merits of this disagreement seem to have gone home to the people of New Orleans, and here they are."

Steeplechase to Jim Crow.

The races provided were of a commonplace order. The feature was the second steeplechase of the season over the new course. Edward Corrigan was represented in it by Alice Dougherty, and may have had a fighting interest in Charawind, which he turned over to Mike Dannaher to take east earlier in the season. Neither of them won, however, although both were played. Jim Crow, at 13 to 10, the selection of the handicappers, fenced cleverly, and had the requisite speed between jumps. Lionel tossed his rider at the fourth jump, and Alice Dougherty at the seventh. Both jockeys, Archibald and Lawless, were badly shaken up and had to be carried from the course. Neither was seriously injured.

Percy Taylor's home bred 2 year old, Orbicular, continues to win. He was a horse by himself in the seven furlongs race for colts and fillies of his age and won as he pleased. He was favorite. Chief Hayes was second.

City Park Summaries.

First race, 1 mile—Dell Leath, 106 pounds [McCarthy], 15 to 1, won; Yachting Girl, 105 [Nichol], 3 to 2, second; Jacob, 105 [Perrine], 5 to 1, third. Time, 1:43. Sam Hofheimer, Signal Light, Lady Consuello, Parnassa, and Little James ran.

Second race, short course, steeplechase, handicap—Jim Crow, 148 pounds [Jones], 13 to 10, won; Oliver Mc. 136 [Kinney], 10 to 1, second; Charawind, 150 [Porter], 6 to 1, third. Time, 3:01 3-5. Picktime ran. Lionel, Jim Bozeman, and Alice Dougherty fell.

Third race, ¾ mile—Orbicular, 103 pounds [Troxler], even, won; Chief Hayes, 108 [Nicol], 8 to 5, second; Daring, 103 [Daly], 7 to 1, third. Time, 1:28 3-5. Sister Edith, Holden, and Grace Wagner ran.

Fourth race, 1 mile and 70 yards—The Trifler, 93 pounds [Koerner], 20 to 1, won; The Don, 102 [Newman], 6 to 1, second; Monochord, 104 [Weshard] 12 to 1, third. Time, 1:47 3-5. Blush, Show Girl, Double, Henry A. Schroeder, Grosgrain, Labor, Taxman, Bluish, Doeskin, and Federal ran.

Fifth race, ¾ mile—Envoy, 107 pounds [Nicol], 11 to 10, won; Roscoe, 105 [C. Morris], 8 to 1, second; Wild Irishman, 107 [Hennessy], 5 to 1, third. Time, 1:15 4-5. The Mark, Verandah, Clique, Csaraphine, Piller, and Capitano ran.

Sixth race, ¾ mile—Robin Hood, 108 pounds [C. Morris], even, won; Tom Crabb, 109 [Young], 40 to 1, second; Immortelle, 104 [Obert], 15 to 1, third. Time, 1:02. Fiasco, First Attempt, Ruah Reuben, Jack Adams, Martha C., Hopeful Miss, Wreath of Ivy, Jack Rattlin, Major Carpenter, My Lady Love, and Precious Stone ran.

GOOD SPORT AT FAIR GROUNDS.

Program at New Orleans Track Shows Class—O'Neill Lands Dr. Hurd First by Good Ride.

New Orleans, La., Dec. 6.—[Special.]—The program at the fair grounds was distinctively eastern and there was considerable class to it. The thirteen books were swamped with money, and as five strongly backed favorites won they kept little of it.

Frank O'Neill's ride on Newton Bennington's Dr. Hurd in the five furlong race for maiden 2 year olds was the most brilliant performance of the meeting. Dr. Hurd probably was the best, but it required skill of a high order to steer him through a labyrinth of horses.

A new angle came up in the selling race controversy, with Sam Hildreth as the mark. Hildreth entered Logistilla in the one and one-sixteenth miles selling, to be sold for $700. Logistilla won, and after the race Trainer Giving started the boosting. It was carried along by an unidentified person to twice the entered value, at which Hildreth retained the filly.

First race, ¾ mile—Dr. Heard, 101 pounds [O'Neill], 8 to 5, won; Desha, 107 [Hoffer], 40 to 1, second; Hoggenheimer, 110 [Sewell], 10 to 1, third. Time, 1:01 4-5. Chauncey Olcott, Daniel C., Rhinock, Remington, D. W. Flynn, Goldsboro, The Ram, Lomoken, Pattonville, Walter Schaffer, Menoken, Lester L., Hayman, and Lubeck ran.

Second race, ¾ mile—Ben Lear, 134 pounds [Cherry], 25 to 1, won; Arabo 140 [Crimmins], 10 to 1, second; Kohinoor, 134 [McGee], 7 to 1, third. Time, 1:16 3-5. Norwood Ohio, Henry Bert, Dusky Tenny Belle, Tower, and Sweet Note ran.

Third race, 11-16 mile—High Chance, 104 pounds [Sewell], 4 to 5, won; Miss Leeds, 96 [Cherry], 12 to 1, second; Amorous, 104 [J. Foley], 50 to 1, third. Time, 3:08 3-5. Fortune Teller, Lineal, Monis, Henry O., Augur, and Bitter Brown ran.

Fourth race, 9-16 mile—La Sorciere, 113 pounds [Sewell], 13 to 10, won; Cousin Kate, 110 [L. Smith], 12 to 1, second; Water Wing, 110 [O'Neill], 9 to 10, third. Time, :54 3-5. Come on Sam, Wedding Ring, Joe Colson, Relmer V., Tomochichi, Sweet Favor, and Usury ran.

Fifth race, 1 1-16 miles—Logistilla, 96 pounds [Sewell], 3 to 5, won; Bullfinch, 112 [Reynolds], 9 to 1, second; Consuelo II., 99 [Cherry], 7 to 1, third. Time, 1:48 1-5. Decoration, Orient, Lady Fonso, Fred Ingoldsby, Forabeck, and Dr. Hart ran.

Sixth race, 1 1-16 miles—Chub, 106 pounds [Spear], 7 to 5, won; Bourke Cockran, 108 [Greenfield], 12 to 1, second; Wedgewood, 97 [McGee], 6 to 1, third. Time, 1:48. Berry Waddell, Odd Luck, Marcos, Handspinner, Athena, and Ed Early ran.

HANS WAGNER TAKES HANDICAP

Captures the Feature at Ascot Park Track from Borghesi, Lillie B., and Bragg.

Los Angeles, Cal., Dec. 6.—Hans Wagner won the handicap at Ascot today from Borghesi, Lillie B., and Bragg. Lillie B. went to the post favorite at 2½ to 1, the others being quoted at threes. Hans led most of the route, finishing with a lead of two and a half lengths.

Creston Boy furnished the upset of the card, taking the first race at 20 to 1.

First race, 11-16 mile—Creston Boy, 110 pounds [Kunz], 20 to 1, won; Astraea, 110 [Swain], 30 to 1, second; Elevation, 115 [Schaffner], 7 to 4, third. Time, 1:09. Mr. Budd, Jim Pendergast, Search Me, Chancellor Walworth, Turkeyfoot, Miss Berg, Red Tape, Soledad, Masamn, Hammeraway, and Salina ran.

Second race, 1 1-16 miles—Homestead, 110 pounds [Schade], 6 to 1, won; Courant, 108 [Davis], 4 to 1, second; Huapala, 112 [McDaniel], 4 to 1, third. Time, 1:50¾. Chickadee, Tangible, and Leonado ran.

Third race, ¾ mile—Revolt, 110 pounds [Duran], 8 to 1, won; Our Lillie, 108 [Davis], 8 to 1, second; Hilona, 99 [Moore], 5 to 1, third. Time, 1:15. Tramator, Elfin King, Miss Betty, Salario, Mi Reina, and Philanthropist ran.

Fourth race, 1 mile—Hans Wagner, 112 pounds [Doyle], 3 to 1, won; Borghesi, 108 [Kunz], 3 to 1, second; Lillie B., 87 [McDaniel], 5 to 2, third. Time, 1:41. Bragg ran.

Fifth race, ¾ mile—Masterson, 108 pounds [Davis], 7 to 10, won; Lotta Gladstone, 105 [Preston], 8 to 1, second; Neatness, 105 [Swain], 15 to 1, third. Time, 1:01¾. Cello, Henchman, The Irishman, and Sanfara ran.

Sixth race, 1 mile and 70 yards—Hot, 102 pounds [Jackson], 4 to 1, won; The Huguenot, 104 [Schaffner], 3 to 1, second; Freestas, 107 [Sullivan], 6 to 1, third. Time, 1:47¾. Mal Lowery and Potrero Grande ran.

MORRIS PARK SOLD FOR BIG SUM

Famous Racetrack Will Be Cut Up Into Building Lots—Price Between $2,000,000 and $3,000,000.

New York, Dec. 6.—[Special.]—The Morris Park racetrack, owned by the Morris family, has been sold to a syndicate of real estate operators and will no doubt be cut up into building lots. The property, which comprises 200 acres, brought, according to report, somewhere between $2,000,000 and $3,000,000.

It adjoins Van Nest park in a part of the Bronx that is expected to undergo rapid improvement. The tract is in the line of the proposed New York, Port Chester, and Boston railroad, and is served at present by the suburban branch of the New York, New Haven and Hartford.

It is under leases for four years more to the Westchester Racing association, which, however, has not used it since the Jockey club races were transferred to Belmont park. The horse racing conducted at Morris park this season was three days' steeplechase racing. It is understood the syndicate has made arrangements to end the leasehold of the Westchester Racing association.

LOOK FOR MORE EVIDENCE

MEMBERS OF BOARD OF APPEALS POSTPONE THEIR DECISIONS.

Appeal of Dick McMahon Against the Galesburg Track Authorities and the Dispute Over the Award of the Powers Cup to Tatters Are Not Decided by American Trotting Association—Charlie Dean Wins a Case—One Horseman Is Ruled Off.

[BY HENRY TEN EYCK WHITE.]

The board of appeals of the American Trotting association concluded its meeting yesterday, decisions being made in dozens of small cases. In two matters of interest to local horsemen, however, a continuance until the May meeting of the board was ordered, in order that further evidence may be secured.

These cases were those of Dick McMahon vs. the Galesburg track as to the decision of the judges in the 2:09 pace, and George K. Cornell vs. William Riebolt, and the bay gelding Tatters, the controversy being in regard to the race for the Powers cup last October.

In the McMahon case a peculiar condition, so far as the judges of the Galesburg race was concerned, was uncovered. It appears that after four heats had been paced William McKinley had won two and E. M. R. the other two, McMahon behind Shylock being second at the finish of each mile. In the fifth heat McMahon took the track with Shylock and was in the lead, with Personnette alongside and just ahead of him, when E. M. R. got into a pocket. William McKinley came along about this time and went to the fore, winning the heat in 2:09. The driver of E. M. R. claimed McMahon had held him in the pocket, thus allowing McKinley to get a long lead and win the heat. Thereupon the judges decided the fifth heat no heat, and the race went over until the next day.

Declares Off the Race.

Then the judges got busy. E. M. R. turned up lame in the morning, and at least one of the judges went to the horse's stall to look him over, after which the driver of the pacer openly stated that unless his horse was fit to start there would be no race. One of the judges, as testified to yesterday, made the same statement about 9 o'clock in the morning. When the hour for resuming the race arrived the judges announced that, inasmuch as E. M. R. was unable to start, they would reverse their decision of the previous day and declare the race ended. Shylock being distanced for improper driving.

This was a new angle to horsemen, but the facts as stated above were not controverted at the session of the board. It is evident the board finds the question an important one and wishes all the facts before making a ruling.

Powers Cup Protest.

In the matter of the race for the Powers cup a continuance was ordered so that all the facts may, if possible, be got at. The testimony was all on the point as to when Mr. Riebolt became the bona fide owner of Tatters. It seems that in July Riebolt went to Indiana and bought the horse, taking a bill of sale in which the consideration was stated to be $500. It was, however, stipulated that the horse was not to be delivered to Riebolt until Oct. 1, and that in the meantime the Indiana man was to have the privilege of racing him where he listed. Also that the horse must be as sound Oct. 1 as he was on the day the bill of sale was passed.

The other side claimed that as a matter of fact the sale was not bona fide, or at least that Riebolt did not become the real owner of the horse until about Oct. 5. This allegation, if true, would bar Tatters from winning the cup. Also that, admitting the contention of Riebolt to be in every particular correct, there was not a bona fide sale in law, authorities being quoted on this point.

Loose Way of Auditing Entries.

In the course of the trial it cropped out that the Garfield Park Racing club, which is a member of the American association and advertised the race for the cup to be paced under the rules of that organization, had a loose way of accepting entries. Nothing in the way of proper entries could be produced, and the impression gained ground that when the matter was finally decided the board would be apt to declare the Powers cup race null and void for the reason that, after advertising the race to be paced under the rules of the American association, those rules were either entirely ignored or superseded by original enactments, produced at their pleasure by the officers of the Garfield Park club.

John Splan lost his case against the Indianapolis track.

Charlie Dean was on hand to look after the interests of his horse, King Airy, the money won by that horse in a race at Aurora last July having been held up on a protest that King Airy was distanced in both the first and second heats, although permitted to start each time by the judges. The decision of the board was that the race should stand as ordered by the judges, the protest being overruled.

Ruled Off for Ringing.

"Pop" Whitney, formerly of Cincinnati, and a well known driver, was expelled for "ringing" the bay gelding Cuprum, record 2:12¾, under the name of Mayloene. J. W. Brothers of Des Moines was expelled along with Whitney, he being the owner of Cuprum. This horse was already under expulsion by the National Trotting association for a "ringing" tour in the east, he having masqueraded there as Selesh and put Bob Bever, a well known driver, in the hole to the amount of $1,500, he not knowing that the horse was "crooked" when campaigning him.

At the Libertyville mile track meeting last fall the judges decided to distance the trotter Little Wonder because he went to pacing while finishing. At the time it looked as if the decision was harsh, and in its summing up of the matter the board takes this view of the case, but adds that as the horse did not take part in the last two heats he is not entitled to any part of the purse and that the decision of the judges must be considered final.

BUSY DAY FOR NATIONAL BOARD.

Many Horsemen Are Suspended or Expelled for Various Infractions of the Rules.

New York, Dec. 6.—The board of review of the National Trotting association tonight expelled or suspended more than a score of members and disqualified a number of well known trotters and pacers.

The brown gelding, Dry Monopole, 2:08, was released from suspension. The horse has raced at different times under the names Tasbery and Dick Wilson, once was reported dead, and has caused much confusion. In the future the pacer will be known as Dry Monopole.

The members expelled today were Gibson R. Hollingsworth of Washington, D. C., accused of assaulting the starter at the races of the Hagerstown, Md., county fair; John Nugent of Blackstone, Mass., accused of ringing the pacer, Norval L., under the name of Dandy; W. B. Johnson of Lockhaven, Mass., accused of ringing the mare Nellie C. under the name of Nellie at various Pennsylvania tracks; V. S. Goodwin of Bathurst, Canada, in connection with the racing of the stallion Storm King; John McGregor of Dansville, N. Y., accused of ringing the stallion Mailers under the name of Benny B.; C. A. Burr and P. P. Wingert of Wisconsin; John D. Dean of Elmgrove, W. Va.; M. B. Hickson of Lynchburg, Va.; and D. B. Benwood of Racine, O.

BEDELLS HOLD FIRST PLACE.

Brothers Have Margin of One Lap on Other Teams in Six Day Bicycle Race at New York.

New York, Dec. 7.—[Special.]—Ten teams are left in the six day bicycle race at Madison Square garden, the Bedells having a lead of one lap, while Vanderstuyft and Stol are among the second division teams.

Tommy Hall ran into a man who was walking across the track early yesterday and broke his collar bone, which put him out of the race. Decaup and Trousselier gave up the fight at 2:30 o'clock in the morning, Decaup being so badly injured he could not remain on his bicycle. Hall's partner, Downey, teamed up with Achorn, taking Wilcox's place, and remained in the race.

Vanderstuyft and Stol are in splendid condition, and Vanderstuyft has been making bluffs at lap stealing, smiling maliciously when Downey or John Bedell overhauled him.

The 2 o'clock score follows:

	Miles	Laps
Vanderstuyft and Stol	1,229	1
Root and Fogler	1,229	1
Kegan and Logan	1,229	1
Bedell and Bedell	1,229	2
Dorflinger and Dussout	1,228	8
McLean and Moran	1,229	1
Hopner and Hollister	1,229	1
Galvin and MacDonald	1,229	1
Achorn and Downey	1,228	4
Downing and Bowler	1,229	1

CALLAGHAN WINS RACINE HANDICAP

Supposedly Exploded "Phenom" Fools the Crowd at Oakland Track.

LEADS FIELD ALL WAY.

Graziallo Takes the Chief Purse Feature, Otto Stifel Breaking Down.

San Francisco, Cal., Dec. 6.—[Special.]—Callaghan, a grand looking colt, who was supposed to be an exploded "phenom," came out today and captured the Racine handicap of $1,000 in a most impressive style. He opened up a gap of half a dozen lengths, and won off by himself. The half was negotiated in :48, three-quarters in 1:13¾, and mile in 1:39¾. It is difficult to reconcile his last two races except on the theory that he must make his own pace. Tern's Rod beat Nigrette, the favorite, for the place.

Graziallo captured the purse race in the easiest possible style. Otto Stifel, who had strong support, broke down. The Roustabout beat Titus by a head in the first race. The winner was boosted $400, and Keene retaliated by claiming Titus. Sir Edward displayed a startling improvement, and beat a good field of 2 year olds, which included Tom McGrath, Equorum Rex, Father Catchem, and Dr. Gardner, in the second event.

After Firm Foot landed the fifth race by two lengths from Phalanx he was run up $500 above his entered price. Phalanx and Sandstone were both claimed out of this race.

Fine racing weather still prevails, and the crowd was large. Thirty bookmakers were in line. They quit winners on the day. Summaries:

First race, Futurity course, selling—The Roustabout, 100 pounds [Radtke], 7 to 2, won; Titus II., 107 [McBride], 5 to 1, second; Mocorito, 107 [Fountain], 15 to 1, third. Time, 1:10½. David Boland, Entre Nous, Mrs. Bob, Peter J., Gossipper II., Velna, Dr. Roberts, Holly Berry, The Forum, Madden, and Petronius Jr. ran.

Second race, Futurity course—Sir Edward, 110 pounds [Losgue], 10 to 1, won; Tom McGrath, 105 [McBride], 9 to 5, second; Equorum Rex, 105 [Williams], 8 to 1, third. Time, 1:19¾. Dr. Gardner, Rey Del Mundo, Mary F., Comilfo, Father Catchem, Tenordale, Jake Moose, War Heel, and George Eagon ran.

Third race, 1¼ miles—Flaunt, 107 pounds [McBride], 9 to 5, won; Bannock Belle, 98 [Rice], 6 to 1, second; Iras, 102 [Fountain], 6 to 1, third. Time, 1:53¾. Invectus, Expedient, Harry Beck, Nabonnassar, Ell, and Glen Rice ran.

Fourth race, 1 mile—Callaghan, 104 pounds [Greenfield], 3 to 1, won; Tern's Rod, 98 [Rice], 6 to 1, second; Nigrette, 100 [Radtke], 5 to 2, third. Time, 1:46¾. Bombardier, Rightful, Hoolihan, and Scotch Thistle ran.

Fifth race, 1 mile, selling—Firm Foot, 104 pounds [Fountain], 5 to 1, won; Phalanx, 103 [Lozano], 4 to 1, second; Chalk Hedrick, 100 [Robinson], 8 to 1, third. Time, 1:39¾. Sandstone, War Times, Ada N., Dusty Miller, and Byronerdale ran.

Sixth race, 15-16 mile—Graziallo, 106 pounds [Knapp], 3 to 5, won; Gorgalette, 111 [McBride], 6 to 1, second; Otto Stifel, 94 [Radtke], 9 to 5, third. Time, 1:33¾. Lecturer, Phaon, and Scherzo ran.

Notes of the Oakland Track.

The racing game shifts to Ingleside on Monday. Harry Stover has purchased Water Cure for $800.

Bear Catcher, San Nicholas, Callaghan, and other fast horses meet in a mile stake on Saturday. Cruzados, Cloudlight, and several other speedy horses are to contest in the $1,000 purse at five furlongs.

Reiff to Marry at Monte Carlo.

San Francisco, Cal., Dec. 6.—[Special.]—The marriage of Johnny Reiff is to take place at Monte Carlo the latter part of January. His bride is a daughter of Charles Denman, trainer for Edmund Blanc, owner of Monte Carlo, and the marriage will be the culmination of a love romance begun at the racetrack in the early part of Reiff's career in that country. Reiff is 19 years old, and the girl is slightly his junior.

GOSSIP FOR THE BASEBALL FAN.

President Murphy Goes East Today to Attend League Meeting—American Association to Convene.

President Charles W. Murphy of the Chicago National league club will leave today for New York, to attend the annual meeting of the National league, which is to convene next week. It will be the first meeting of the big league Mr. Murphy has attended as a magnate of the league. Mr. Murphy said deals for players undoubtedly would be a feature of the magnates' sessions. The Chicago club, he declared, would not overlook any chances to improve its strength, although he was pretty well satisfied with the material on hand.

J. A. Hart, former president, also will attend the league meeting, but will not go east for a few days.

President Ban Johnson of the American league is expected back in Chicago today from Cincinnati, where he has spent two weeks.

Joseph Cantillon, American association and Western league magnate, who for the last month has been in a hospital at Rochester, Minn., where an operation was performed for appendicitis, will come back to Chicago today. Cantillon, according to a letter received yesterday, has recovered from his sickness.

The advance guard of American association magnates for the annual meeting of that organization to be held at the Auditorium on Saturday is expected here today.

President Charles Comiskey of the White Stockings will leave tonight with several friends for Memphis, Tenn., where his houseboat, White Sox, which is on its way southward, is located in the Mississippi river.

FOOTBALL MEETING PUT OFF.

Committee Will Not Consider Revision of the Rules for Another Week.

The academic and critical public will have to rest uneasy over the football brutality, roughness, rowdyism, professionalism problems for another week at least. The annual meeting of the rules committee, which was to have been held on Saturday in New York, has been postponed until some time next week, due to the inability of John C. Bell of Pennsylvania, one of the members of the committee, to be present.

Coach Stagg of the University of Chicago received word from Walter Camp not to go east until he received further notice.

The Midway professor believes the football savants will get together late next week and thrash out the various proposals and suggestions for making the sport less hazardous.

Stanford Will Not Play Chicago.

Stanford University, Cal., Dec. 6.—[Special.]—As far as Stanford is concerned there will be no game this year with Chicago university, according to a statement of Manager R. W. Barrett of the Stanford team. He asserts no negotiations between himself and Coach Stagg have taken place, and that in case the latter tries to secure a game his offers will be refused. The Stanford team has been disbanded for almost a month, and could not be put in shape for a game at this late date. Furthermore, Stanford has adopted the policy of refusing all post-season contests, both on account of faculty disapproval and unwillingness of the players to continue training so long. The game with Michigan in Pasadena several years ago has never been considered a success by the Stanford partisans.

Fifteen Get "M's" at Michigan.

Ann Arbor, Mich., Dec. 6.—[Special.]—Capt. Norcross today awarded "M" sweaters to fifteen members of the Wolverine football squad. The men are Garrels, Curtis, Schulte, Schultz, Graham, Rheinschild, H. Hammond, Norcross, T. Hammond, Stuart, Longman, Barlow, Clark, Magoffin, and Patrick. Clark did not want to accept his sweater, but Capt. Norcross insisted.

Northwestern Banquet Tonight.

The annual football banquet at Northwestern university will be held tonight in the gymnasium. Addresses will be made by Coaches McCornack and Allen, Trainer Holland, Capt. Reuber, Dean Hoigate, Prof. Gray, and Dr. R. D. Sheppard. The N's will be awarded by Prof. Long, and Blair and Scott will get watch fobs for having played four years.

Football Captains Elected Yesterday.

Princeton—Herbert Dillon, class 1907, of Fitchburg, Mass.

Ames—Robert E. Jeansen, class 1906.

Trinity—Philip Dougherty, class of 1907, of Charleston, Ill.

Basketball at Northwestern.

Northwestern university athletes are beginning to prepare for basketball, forty students having responded to a call for candidates last night. Nearly all the members of last year's team have returned to college. Six teams will be supported by the athletic association and a coach will be appointed next week. Practice is to be held under the direction of Capt. McJohnson in the gymnasium each afternoon.

ON THE BOWLING ALLEYS.

UPSETS AMONG LEADERS OCCUR IN THE TOURNAMENT LEAGUE.

Rivals Take Two Out of Three from the Malt Sinews, Who Total 1,035 in Their Solitary Victory—Kelly Gets a 206 Average and Mahrlein Records 202 1-3—Centuries Move Up by Winning All Three from Their Opponents.

Leaders in the tournament bowling league shifted last night when the Rivals trimmed the Malt Sinews two out of three games. The only game the brewers won was a 1,035 total. Kelly averaged 206, while Mahrlein tried ineffectually to stop the Rivals' rush with his 202 1-3 average.

The Centuries cleaned up their three games and drew even with the Malt Sinews.

The lead in the Chicago league also changed, the Brunswicks dropping two games to the Bull Frogs, while the First Nationals won three from the West Chicagos. The latter series was a hummer. Scores:

TOURNAMENT.

Rivals.	1.	2.	3.	Malt Sin'ws.	1.	2.	3.
Kelly	233	188	196	Leverens	197	170	167
Gent	157	205	174	Mahrlein	259	193	155
Lund	148	144	159	Nelson	213	168	208
Voltz	168	185	234	Golz	175	160	170
Dunton	167	186	180	Post	191	199	136
Totals	875	908	942	Totals	1065	890	831
Schindlers.	1.	2.	3.	Olympias.	1.	2.	3.
Koenig	155	203	160	Hess	197	136	195
Gregory	169	173	220	Schewe	113	167	174
Pasdeloup	202	167	202	Huber	172	175	138
Burns	169	183	215	Heine	210	203	160
Geroux	209	156	202	Poggensee	150	144	162
Totals	904	883	987	Totals	842	825	829
Centurys	913	896	935	Cohens	726	865	844

LINCOLN AVENUE.

Superbs.	1.	2.	3.	Pocahontas.	1.	2.	3.
Clasen	169	189	210	G. Zimmer.	212	199	173
Toemmel	139	156	167	Bellman	137	162	187
Schultz	163	180	157	M. Zimmer.	189	166	176
Braband	201	188	152	Beidenweg	222	180	202
Ehlers	158	158	180	Bohn	205	158	183
Totals	841	851	946	Totals	945	965	921

CHICAGO LEAGUE.

Bullfrogs.	1.	2.	3.	B. B. C. Co.	1.	2.	3.
Birren	138	157	188	Gruver	184	203	192
Peth	177	157	213	Canfield	167	196	189
Toemmel	191	201	203	Shogren	202	170	160
Wienold	190	183	175	Burkhardt	178	202	181
Schmidt	198	201	161	Wolf	149	195	180
Totals	894	893	940	Totals	880	945	908
W. Chicago.	1.	2.	3.	First Nat'ls.	1.	2.	3.
Ruther	148	172	169	Klingenb'g	179	186	158
Clark	167	190	202	Hess	169	195	195
Leonard	171	145	158	Barker	190	168	188
Harrison	203	242	193	Chalmers	189	183	226
Kaad	182	188	218	Arnold	245	205	165
Totals	871	927	940	Totals	961	930	942

HUMBOLDT.

Cubs.	1.	2.	3.	Raths.	1.	2.	3.
Carlstrom	178	149	193	Johnson	165	188	169
Treichel	175	169	156	Koss	146	165	178
Scott	153	194	231	Keotke	175	151	110
Langlund	232	215	176	Swan	136	....	....
Bottam	158	157	155	Ernborn	....	207	190
Totals	896	884	911	Grate	178	257	178
				Totals	799	968	835

SOUTHWEST.

Halcyons.	1.	2.	3.	Carnations.	1.	2.	3.
Stell	157	194	170	H. Dernbach	152	191	213
George	203	188	201	Walsh	149	190	177
S. Schliman.	190	199	227	Novak	192	197	163
H. Schliman	168	146	176	Goodfriend	127	157	189
Krueger	182	221	191	G. Dernbach	201	203	206
Totals	900	948	965	Totals	826	938	948

SOUTH SIDE INTERCLUB.

C. A. A.	1.	2.	3.	Charlevoix.	1.	2.	3.
La Gros	157	192	145	Grass	188	146	140
Watkins	189	171	228	Pattillo	130	151	145
Mally	180	169	138	Stone	177	168	136
Harrington	170	195	178	Johnson	173	156	189
Thomas	158	174	145	Ross	143	171	162
Totals	874	861	834	Totals	811	792	781

HEMMER LEAGUE.

Oak Lea.	1.	2.	3.	Rarebits.	1.	2.	3.
Roets	179	193	147	Mackay	192	230	146
Newman	186	151	162	Eastman	213	124	173
Butler	187	181	152	Van Wager	182	196	201
Foster	134	203	196	Moran	139	163	151
J. Foster	106	203	148	Tischhouser	193	210	174
Totals	852	931	805	Totals	923	929	845
Hemmers.	1.	2.	3.	Oaklands.	1.	2.	3.
Ward	205	195	214	Ringwald	182	199	186
Mahoney	159	169	190	Huber	181	155	177
Semonce	161	165	203	Northam	199	178	138
McGuire	181	171	162	Hamilton	187	156	168
Bruck	190	165	167	Luecker	157	159	154
Totals	896	865	936	Totals	876	847	823

FIRST REGIMENT.

Company L.	884	904	966	Company I.	785	767	807

LAKE VIEW.

Lind'n Bros.	915	881	843	Gue's Colts.	839	822	806
Quirks	891	891	813	Primas	796	745	861
Ben Beys	857	839	871	Verhoeffs	851	833	861

BIRNS.

Armitages	807	916	897	Senators	879	844	797

JEFFERSON.

Casey's C'lts	859	923	944	Onawas	823	824	796

BOXING CONTEST WITH MILWAUKEE

Matchmaker Butler to Take Team of Chicago Amateurs to Cream City.

BIG ENTRY LIST AT C. A. A.

Preliminaries to Be Fought Tomorrow Night and Finals on Saturday.

[BY GEORGE SILER.]

Matchmaker Mike Butler of the Chicago Athletic association will invade Milwaukee with a bunch of amateur boxers, and hopes to carry off all the prizes which the Milwaukee Athletic club will hang up for its amateur boxing tournament scheduled to be held under its auspices on Dec. 16. Butler has not as yet selected his boys, but anticipates securing a winning bunch from the winners of the semi-finals and the finals of the various classes that participate in the C. A. A. two nights' tourney Friday and Saturday nights.

Butler has secured a large entry for his club's entertainment, among them being the best that showed in the recent tournaments. Among these are Joe Kreigel and John Coulon, 105 pounders; Jimmy Duffy and John Ryan, 115; Julius Stein, Carl Marzano, and Jim Fresel, 125; George Richerson and Frank Smith, 135; Jimmy Hildebrand, 145; and Arthur Curtis and Harry Scott, 158 pounds.

The preliminaries will be contested Friday night, and the semi-finals and the finals Saturday night.

Willie Fitzgerald, the Brooklyn scrapper, and Willie Lewis, another eastern crack, have been matched to fight before the Colma Athletic club some time after New Year's. They will fight at catch weights. Fitzgerald has agreed to allow Lewis to enter the ring at 142 pounds. Lewis is a hard hitter, but Fitzgerald is confident he can whip him.

Kills Off All Boxing.

Hammond, Ind., Dec. 6.—[Special.]—Prosecuting Attorney D. E. Boone, who notified the Chicago fight promoters last night that the "Buddy" Ryan-Dick Fitzpatrick mill could not be pulled off in East Chicago, said today no fights would be allowed in Indiana under any circumstances nor at any place under his jurisdiction, and that he would call out the militia if necessary. Plans for the opening of boxing clubs at Hammond, Whiting, and East Chicago are all killed by the state's attorney's stand.

McGovern-Nelson Fight Jan. 26.

Boston, Mass., Dec. 6.—Joe Humphreys, manager for "Terry" McGovern, announced today he had accepted the conditions for a match between McGovern and Batling Nelson at the Light Guard armory, Philadelphia, Jan. 26. They are a division of the 80 per cent of the gate receipts on the basis of 45 per cent to Nelson and 35 per cent to McGovern, "win, lose, or draw," and the weight to be 133 pounds at the ring side.

Pugilistic Pointers.

There is some talk of bringing "Buddy" Ryan and Dick Fitzpatrick together at Benton Harbor, Mich.

Adam Ryan and George Memsic were matched yesterday to fight ten rounds under the auspices of the Democratic club of Denver, Colo., on Dec. 15.

Billy Rhodes, the Kansas City welterweight, is seeking a match with Dick Fitzpatrick. Rhodes is said to be a tough customer, and can secure backing to fight any welterweight in this vicinity.

CANADIANS WANT GOLF MATCH.

Cumming and Barrett Challenge Anderson and Alexander Smith for a Series of Games.

Toronto, Ont., Dec. 6.—George Cumming of the Toronto club, the Canadian professional golfer, and Percy Barrett of Lambton, who finished third in the United States open championship this year, have challenged Anderson, the American champion, and Alexander Smith, former American champion, to a series of games. The plan is to have the four play a match of thirty-six holes over the Toronto links, thirty-six over the Lambton course, thirty-six over Anderson's club course, and thirty-six over Smith's. It practically would decide the international championship.

Wouldn't you feel crestfallen if, when you wanted to put your best foot foremost, you found your tailor had failed in his promise or his fit.

We're so well supplied with a choice of sizes, that we feel we can give every man his suit, when he wants it.

As to cut—of course it takes a mighty good tailor to make dress clothes—but you're safe there, too, Rogers, Peet & Co. make all of ours.

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CONTEST SLATED IN REALTY BOARD

Rival Tickets Are to Be Nominated for the Approaching Annual Election.

OLD AGAINST THE YOUNG.

Fight Promises to Be the Hottest in the History of the Organization.

The approaching annual election of the real estate board promises to be one of the most hotly contested in the history of that organization. The nominating committee of the board, at the regular monthly meeting yesterday, reported a ticket headed by Frank G. Hoyne for president, while in each chair in the boardroom was a notice, signed by forty-three members, of a call for a caucus, to be held in the boardroom at 3 o'clock this afternoon, to place an opposition ticket in the field. The election will be held Dec. 20.

This ticket undoubtedly will be headed by Frederick S. Oliver of Oliver & Co., and it is generally recognized that the fight will be an exceedingly hot one. The line seems to be drawn between what is designated as the older and younger elements on the board. The ticket of which Mr. Oliver will be the head will be made up largely of the younger members, although several of the older members of the board are among Mr. Oliver's supporters.

Reason for the Caucus.

The call for the caucus is based upon the statement that the best interests of the board demand the nomination of two full tickets and that a large nominating committee selected from and by the members of the board would result in a more representative ticket. In addition to Mr. Hoyne the regular ticket is made up of J. A. McLean, vice president; R. B. Ennis, secretary; and D. M. Erskine, treasurer.

Robert C. Butzow and Ernest Woltersdorf are the new nominees on the valuation committee, the most important of the committeeships, while E. A. Halsey is the nominee on the board of directors.

Protest Against City's Policy.

The board adopted a report of the public service committee opposing the present policy of the city in demanding a full compensation for the vacation of streets and alleys and a resolution was adopted instructing the committee to prepare an ordinance to be submitted to the city council by which the city is to be paid one-third the value of the properties vacated.

George Birkhoff Jr., in discussing the matter, said that former Mayor Harrison had suggested the wisdom of some such settlement of the question and that one-third of the compensation go to the original subdivider and the other third to the owners of the abutting property.

S. B. Mills, who submitted the resolution, said that many industries were being kept out of Chicago because of the policy of the city in this matter and said that an entirely different policy was followed by St. Louis, Kansas City, Omaha, and other large cities, where the gates were thrown open to new industries.

Inquire About Tunnel Company.

The committee also recommended that the secretary of the board be instructed to inquire of the city authorities whether the Illinois Tunnel company had been encroaching on the lateral space reserved for subways, and the recommendation was approved by the board.

The committee also reported that the suggestion made by Frederick S. Oliver as to the advisability of a law requiring the written consent of property owners to having for sale signs placed on their property, while desirable, was impossible under present conditions.

Edgar M. Snow & Co. have sold for $30,000, net cash, for Louisa M. Wadskier to Edgar A. Bussell, the premises at 41 River street. It has a frontage of twenty-four feet and is of irregular depth. It is improved with a four story brick mercantile building. The purchase was made as an investment.

New Loans Are Secured.

The Western Trust and Savings bank has made a loan of $41,500, five years, at 5 per cent, to Sherman T. Cooper on 148x125 feet at Howe and Center streets, with a new apartment building.

Knott, Chandler & Co. have made two loans aggregating $55,000 to Albert Fuchs, $15,000, three years, at 5½ per cent, and $40,000, five years, at 5 per cent, on the Netherland apartments at the northeast corner of Kenmore and Lawrence avenues, with 110x160 feet of ground.

Dr. Henry Hooper has sold to Dr. Philip Schuyler Doane his residence, 541 North State street, for $33,000.

Real Estate Transfers.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS FILED FOR RECORD Wednesday, Dec. 6, 1905:

LAKE VIEW.

Bissell-st., 164 s of Noble-av., e f, 25x124½, except pt. for elevated R. R., Dec. 4 [Miss J. H. Keegan to Pat'k M. and Mary Maher] 2,300

Clark-st., 58 n of Winona, w f, 50x125, Nov. 27 [Mrs. K. Gorman to Fredk Oscar Sachse] 2,500

Fremont-st., 108 s of Addison, e f, 25x124½, Nov. 29 [La Dell Cannell to Albert R. and Minnie Hoppe] 4,900

Marshfield-av., 75 s of Cornelia, e f, 25x125, Oct. 30 [Henry G. Zander to John W. Feldmann] 5,200

Paulina-st., 44 n of Leland-av., w f, 50x165, Sept. 20 [G. Truax to Hiram S. Heberling] 6,250

Ridge-av., 87 s e of Olive-st., n e f, 80x125, Nov. 28 [Wm. H. Dahir to John Z. Anderson] 2,500

JEFFERSON.

Evergreen-av., 175 n w of Kedzie, s w f, 25x125, Nov. 1 [H. B. Melms to Bertha Jaenicke] 2,300

42d-ct., N., 183 n of Irving Park-av., w f, 128 to R. R. r. of w., Dec. 1 [T. R. Strobridge to Thos. J. Woods] 5,000

NORTH CHICAGO.

Hudson-av., 50 s of Blackhawk-st., w f, 50x124, Oct. 16 [G. B. Newberry et al. by M. in C. to Walter C. Newberry] 1,400

Otis-st., 191 n of Division, w f, 33x85, Dec. 5 [R. Blomgren to Andrew Hamilton] 1,900

SOUTH CHICAGO.

Calumet-av., between 33d and 34th-sts., w f, 32x125, Dec. 2 [R. Cogan to Elmer E. Baldwin] 4,250

Loomis-st., 116 s of Lyman, w f, 48x105, Nov. 28 [V. C. Sanborn to Albert L. Herendeen] 1,635

Lowe-av., 218 n of 25th-pl., e f, 50x150 and o. p., incumb. $3,000, Dec. 4 [John Humphreys to Francis J. Higgins] 5,500

River-st., No. 41, 24¼x103 1-3, Nov. 24 [Louisa M. Wadskier of Camden, N. J., to Edgar A. Bussell] 30,000

22d-pl., 50 w of Princeton-av., n f, 25x100, Aug. 1 [Johanna Weise to George B. Weise] 2,500

35th-st., 50 w of Lincoln-st., s f, 25x125, Nov. 29 [A. Buehner to Joannette Hedrich] 5,500

HYDE PARK.

Ellis-av., 36 s of 71st-st., e f, 50x125, Nov. 23 [Lene S. Jacobsen to Andrew E. Wright] 3,500

Evans-av., 273 n of 64th-st., 30x122, Nov. 23 [J. Oesterle to Catherine A. Davis] 3,500

Ingleside-av., 50 n of 66th-st., w f, 25x124, Dec. 1 [C. F. Stewmell to Edwin Watson] 4,500

Vincennes-av., 68 s of 48th-st., w f, 66 2-3x126 and o. p., Nov. 14 [Est. of Thomas Brenan et al. to James J. Devine] 7,500

LAKE.

Elizabeth-av., 339 n of 63d-st., e f, 50x131, Nov. 22 [E. C. Smith to August Mathis] 1,450

40th-st., 96 w of Wallace-st., s f, 24x125, Dec. 2 [E. P. Oliver to William T. Nelson] 2,000

Halsted-st., 173 s of 72d-st., w f, 25x125, Dec. 2 [W. T. Nelson to Edward P. Oliver] 2,500

Loomis-st., 120 n of 49th-st., w f, 24x124, Nov. 29 [J. Exner to Anton Stepanek] 1,900

May-st., 200 s of 64th-st., w f, 25x124, Nov. 22 [J. Thomas to William L. G. Rumpf] 4,750

Normal-av., 124 n of 72d-st., w f, 120x123, Aug. 19 [C. P. Vedder to Nona C. Kent] 5,375

Paulina-st., 197 s of 59th-st., e f, 50x124, Sept. 1 [A. Johnson to Andrew Grady] 1,200

Princeton-av., 701½, 33x132, Nov. 25 [J. C. Reeves to Thomas W. Scott] 3,400

Root-st., 150 w of Butler-st., s f, 25x124, Nov. 22 [A. G. Hough to William R. Collins] 2,000

39th-st., 393 e of California-av., n f, 24x125, Nov. 27 [J. B. Davis to Oscar D. Clavell] 1,500

Yale-av., 47 n of 74th-st. e f, 50x123, Nov. 22 [Warren C. Gorrell to Arthur H. White] 11,000

WEST CHICAGO.

Blue Island-av., 100 s w of 21st-st., s e f, 50x124, Dec. 1 [S. Studt to Anton Laadt] 5,500

Center-av., 150 n of Milwaukee, w f, 25x100, und. ½ int., Dec. 4 [C. A. Gelin to Elwood Kengon] 1,500

Congress-st., 175 w of S. 45th-av., s f, 25x125, incumb. $1,500, Dec. 2 [Louis Ginsburg to James M. Ross] 3,000

Curtis-av., 24 s of Carroll, w f, 24x120, Dec. 4 [est. of Michael Mulvey to Joseph T. Kenny] 1,800

Erie-st., 48 e of Leavitt, n f, 24x123, Nov. 23 [J. Probst to Harry Reiser] 2,750

42d-ct., S., 75 n of 43th-st., e f, 25x125½, incumb. $1,100, Dec. 4 [C. Friederich to Barbara Silhanek] 2,100

Jackson-blvd., W. 765, 30x125, Dec. 4 [L. Logie et al., by M. in C., to Henry Gebhardt] 3,100

Lake-st., 48 e of St. Johns-ct., s f, 65½x150, Nov. 22 [Thos. J. Woods to Thos. R. Strobridge] 15,000

Captured with Aid of Ammonia.

MRS. INA BERRY.

Mrs. Ina Berry, the insane woman, who for five days made a fort out of a sleeping car at Girard, Kas., shooting at men who tried to capture her, was taken yesterday after having been brought into a state of stupor by the fumes of ammonia thrown into the car.

Park-av., 75 e of S. 41st, n f, 25x125, Oct. 26 [J. Vom Bruch to Carl Englin] 2,500

Rockwell-st., 24 s of Thomas, e f, 24x82, incumb. $1,200, July 1 [R. Preissner to Gustav Preissner] 2,400

Stave-st., No. 172, 25x125, m. or l. [correction], Nov. 21 [Nicholas V. Fischer to Bertha Bormann] 2,400

Superior-st., 22½ w of Rockwell, s f, 45x123½, Dec. 5 [est. of J. P. Samuels to Donald Terrone] 3,900

21st-st., 72 e of Leavitt, n f, 24x125, incumb. $2,200, Nov. 23 [C. Dorman to Ernst Rossow] 5,000

Van Buren-st., 196 e of Homan-av., n f, 20x124, and o. p., Dec. 1 [E. C. Williams to Elizabeth Jones] 1,500

Winchester-av., 304 n of Polk-st., e f, 24x114, incumb. $3,000, Dec. 2 [J. Z. Anderson to Wm. A. Daher et al.] 5,500

Building Permits.

M. McGinnis, 1 story brick interior alterations, 856 Carroll-av	$ 1,500
Samuel Rosen, 3 story brick flats and stores, 484 W. 14th-pl.	11,000
E. M. Sigor, 2 story frame flats, 2823 W. Adams-st	2,800
Samuel Schwitzer, 1 story brick office, 131 W. Lake-st	1,500
H. S. Richard, 1 story brick addition, 63-65 Canal-st	9,000
James Hlad, 2 story brick flats, 1220 Central Park-av	3,000
Mrs. E. J. Bickerdike, 1 story frame cottage, 3257 Eberly-av	1,700
E. G. Scodgrass, two 2 story brick flats, 5730-32 Ontario-st	10,000
Peter Stensel, 3 story frame flats, 872 W. Wolfram-st	3,000
Olaf C. Olsen, 2 story frame flats, 2284 N. Whipple-st	2,500
Mrs. Jessie Taylor, 2 story brick flats, 4724 Peoria-st	4,500
F. D. Read, 2 story brick flats, 234 60th-pl.	7,000
Joseph Ancek, 1 story brick stores and flats, 8913 Green Bay-av	2,500
George O. Beldan, four 1 story brick stores, 3701 Forest-av	4,200
Steger & Bartling, 1 and 2 story brick stores and gallery, 930 W. 63d-st	2,000
Peter Slumbrecht, 1 story frame store and hall, 1482 63d-st	1,200
Max Mindeo, 3 story brick stores and flats, 636 W. 63d-st	12,000
Peter Van Idenstein, 2 story brick flats, 4168 Central-av	4,200
John Manz, 1 story brick addition, 2311 N. Leavitt-st	1,600
C. S. O'Leary, 2 story brick flats, 1514 Windsor-av	6,000
W. F. Johnson, 2 story brick flats, 946 Belle Plaine-av	6,000

"Boro-Formalin" (Elmer & Amend) as an antiseptic, cleansing mouth and tooth wash, is unsurpassed.

MRS. BERRY TAKEN; FUMES CLEAR MIND

Ammonia Soaked Rags Drive Insane Woman from Car She Held for 5 Days.

IS SANE AFTER CAPTURE.

Effect of Gas Inhaled in Fort Will Restore Woman's Reason, Physicians Believe.

Girard, Kas., Dec. 6.—Rags saturated with ammonia today drove Mrs. Ira Berry from her fort in the marooned car which she had held since Friday last. Partially overcome by the fumes she staggered from the car, and submitted to capture after firing her revolver once at random. Physicians who have examined her since declare that the ammonia fumes appear to have restored her reason.

After her capture the woman was removed in a carriage to the jail and placed under the care of the city physician. Once inside the jail and made confident that the attendants were working in her behalf, Mrs. Berry quieted down and talked rationally.

Emaciated by her long fast and weakened from loss of sleep and from exposure, the woman presented a pitiable appearance. Her clothes were torn, her face and hands soiled, and her hair disheveled. She improved rapidly, however, under the treatment of Dr. L. P. Adamson, who said the woman would suffer no serious injury from the ammonia.

"She may regain her sanity," he said. "She was quite rational when I treated her, and asked if I would wire her brother-in-law, James Reaser, of Tulsa, I. T., advising him she is here in jail. I did so. All she needs is a little quiet and watching."

Her Identity Is Established.

Lexington, Ky., Dec. 6.—The identity of the woman who for several days defied the authorities at Girard, Kan., was fully established this morning when James F. Berry, a grocer here, visited the offices of a local law firm. Mr. Berry says the woman is his divorced wife, and although he has again married he will assist her in her present trouble.

Illinois Trolley Lines Sold.

Peoria, Ill., Dec. 6.—The Central Street railway company was sold today to the McKinley syndicate. The deal will also include the Peoria and Pekin terminal.

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And no matter what is done to the things you eat, before you take them into your system, this deadly Uric Acid can't be driven out.

Only one thing can rid the system of this poison—and that is the human system itself.

And, because this Uric Acid many times is stronger than the ability of your blood to throw the poison out, you are taken "suddenly sick," even though you've been most careful about what you eat.

Now here's a simple test to find the presence of Uric Acid in the System which anybody can make:

Just press a finger of the right hand firmly against the back of your left hand, and when you remove the finger you will see a white spot on the left hand.

If that white spot stays there more than 3 seconds you have more than a normal amount of Uric Acid in your Body.

Sometimes in such severe Uric Acid maladies as Bright's disease, etc., this white spot will remain in your skin from 20 to 30 seconds.

Now do you know why this simple Test is an absolutely sure sign of Uric Acid in the Body?

You know, of course, that when your Blood leaves the Arteries it passes into your Veins to be carried back to the Heart.

Now when you have Uric Acid in your Body—and everybody has a certain amount, because we get some of it in all the Food we eat—it gets into the Blood and clogs up the Circulation.

It prevents the natural and free passage of the Blood from the Arteries to the Veins.

When you press firmly on a certain part of your anatomy—the back of your hand, your arm or your chest—you drive the Blood out of that particular spot, and as a result the place where you pressed looks white instead of red.

If there is but little Uric Acid in your Blood there will be little or nothing to prevent your Blood filling in that white Patch quicker than you can say "knife."

If, however, there is a considerable amount of Uric Acid in your System, it will have choked up the Arteries so that your Blood, being unable to flow freely, can only gradually seep into that white spot.

Well, you ask, what has that to do with me—why should I get excited about Uric Acid?

Listen—Uric Acid is the cause of *more* different diseases than almost any other Agency.

When you know that Uric Acid causes Inflammation of the Brain, Stomach, Intestines, Skin and Nervous Diseases, Albumenuria, Gravel, Calculous, Rheumatism, Gout, etc., you will readily see what that Uric Acid has to do with you.

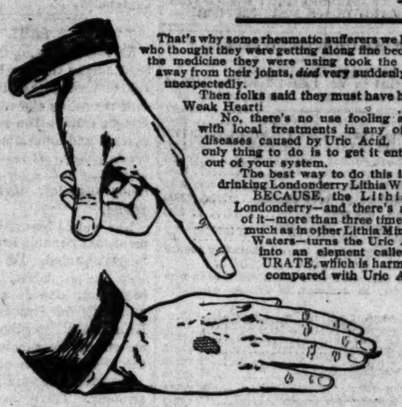
No, Sir, you shouldn't have that Uric Acid in your Body—it is there only because our present way of living doesn't permit of enough outdoor exercise to drive it out of the Body—

You see Uric Acid is a Poison—

It's one of the hardest Poisons to get out of your System—there are very few medicines that have any effect on Uric Acid at all—

That's best understood when you remember how hard it is to cure Rheumatism or Gout—two of the most pronounced Uric Acid diseases there are—by using just ordinary medicines.

Then there is always a very grave danger of ordinary medicines for the cure of Rheumatism medicine seriously weakening your Heart. For when ordinary medicines relieve the pain in a rheumatism-irritated joint they do so by removing the Uric Acid from the affected part, only to dump all the Uric Poison into the Heart.



That's why some rheumatic sufferers we know who thought they were getting along fine because the medicine they were using took the pain away from their joints, *died* very suddenly and unexpectedly.

Then folks said they must have had a Weak Heart!

No, there's no use fooling along with local treatments in any of the diseases caused by Uric Acid. The only thing to do is to get it entirely out of your system.

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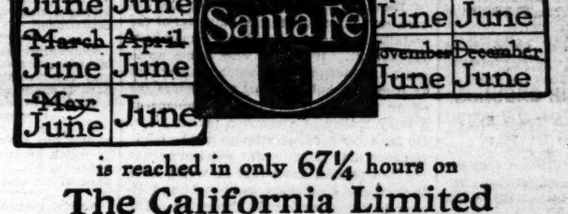

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7,000 WORDS OF NOTHING.

The corporation counsel said to the gas committee day before yesterday, "The city does not know where it stands on any proposition." He made that remark because an elaborate opinion in which he took great pride had come tumbling about his ears. He had written it on the assumption that the city knew where it stood on the gas question—that its archives had told him all that the city authorities had done about the matter officially. The archives were fatally incomplete.

The city and the gas company made a contract in 1891. As the records of the controller's office did not show that the contract had been abrogated, the corporation counsel took it for granted that it had not been, and wrote a 7,000 word opinion based on that assumption. The attorney for the gas company produced a document canceling the contract. Its genuineness could not be disputed, for it bore the properly attested signatures of the mayor and controller and the officers of the gas company. The city should have had a duplicate, but there is none on file.

Street railroads and other corporations that have dealings with the city always know where they stand. They file away all contracts or agreements they enter into and can produce them if necessary. The records of the city are an incomplete jumble. When there is occasion to find out how the city stands with regard to a particular corporation the only way to get accurate information is to send over to its office. When this is not done corporation counsels are led into grievous and humiliating errors.

It is impossible to believe that the city officials of 1899 were so careless as not to demand a duplicate of the contract. They must have had one bearing the signatures of the president and secretary of the gas company. Possibly the mayor and controller may have neglected to sign the city's copy, and at a later day some clerk, seeing its incompleteness and thinking it of no value, may have thrown it away. It does not appear on the files.

The city is old enough to have learned to keep its records in decent shape, but it does not know how to do it. The corporations and the business men show in this particular an intelligent regard for their interests which the city would do well to imitate, but perhaps it cannot because of that curious disease known as "municipal incompetency."

AN AGE OF BUILDERS.

It has remained for the visiting governor of Vermont to point out to Chicagoans one of the ornaments of the city. The construction of the new federal building was such a sorry and protracted joke and the infernal arrangements are notoriously so bad that many have overlooked the fact that on the outside, at least, the new building is worthy of attention and commendation. It is one of the many public edifices which distinguish the present epoch as one in which the pride and the aspirations of a people find expression in stone. In the new renaissance architecture has been the last of the sister arts to be born again, but the twentieth century opens with the promise that no age of the world will have left more magnificent memorials in the way of public buildings. The new capitol of Minnesota and the libraries at Boston and at Washington are the most recent and conspicuous examples of civic architecture in this country, but the roll of worthy public buildings just completed or in process of construction here or abroad is a long one.

It is an age of cathedral building also. The Lutheran cathedral at Berlin, the Protestant Episcopal Cathedral of St. John the Divine at New York, and a thousand smaller but beautiful temples of all sects are evidences that in these days of practical religion and institutional churches the old ideas of splendor of worship have not died out. National prosperity is reflected in these magnificent buildings precisely as it was in earlier days, and after all the storm of new ideas following the French revolution and the scientific discoveries of the nineteenth century the present age is writing itself in stone as an age of faith.

Old world observers have expressed a fear that with the development of building in steel America would place a purely utilitarian stamp upon all her architecture. The cleanliness, convenience, and beauty of finish in the best of the high buildings of American cities have not satisfied foreign critics. They have wished something not so practical, not so new, more likely to endure. The answer to this criticism is at hand. America is showing that in addition to the highest form of development of commercial structures suited to the needs of this country there is a recognition of the claims of beauty also. At Chicago in 1893 and at St. Louis in 1904 the world was given a chance to see a prophecy of what the new century will produce in the way of public buildings. One at a time but in quick succession, in all parts of the country alike, structures are rising of which there is no reason to be ashamed. In all nations it is an age of builders, and America will not be the last in the race for supremacy.

SAUL ALSO.

No less surprising than the appearance of Saul among the prophets is that of Senator Elkins among the supporters of the president regarding the regulation of railway freight rates. The public has seen in him a stern and inflexible opponent of the president's policy. It learns now with astonishment that he has been converted. The railroads have lost their stanch senatorial friend.

The public learns with greater astonishment that Senator Elkins' position has been misrepresented. He says that he has been with the people and the president from the beginning. He says he has been given as authority for statements he never made. Being unable to submit longer to these misstatements he announces that the views of the president have always appealed to him.

Probably the senator puts that a little too strongly. There was a time when he was against the regulation of rates. He may have changed his opinions when he went out of the railroad business and became a shipper. He sold to the Baltimore and Ohio a West Virginia railroad he owned and put the money into coal mines.

When he began shipping the product difficulties arose. It was hard to get cars. The Baltimore and Ohio, which has mines of its own, had no cars for him. He bought some, and the Baltimore and Ohio consented to haul them. The cars do not return to the mines. The Baltimore and Ohio is using them somewhere in its own business. Senator Elkins gets demurrage on them, but he cannot get them back to ship his coal in. The Baltimore and Ohio has in this and other ways interfered with the business and vexed the soul of Senator Elkins.

Everything depends upon conditions. The man who, as the owner of a railroad, wishes to be left free to charge rates as high as he pleases may have a change of heart when he becomes a shipper and wants the lowest possible rates or when some railroad interferes with his business affairs. Self-interest may convert a man who has been unaffected by eloquent presidential reasoning. Senator Elkins may have been the original rate regulator he says he is, but it is more likely that he saw the "gospel light" after the Baltimore and Ohio had trampled on him.

A CASE FOR A JURY.

The Kopf-Roberts-Farnum case is eminently one for a judge and jury. It should not be tried in the newspapers, or in any other forum than the one appointed by law. The death of Mr. Kopf was the result of an election brawl in which men of good character and bad character were engaged on both sides. It does not appear that the men of good character contemplated murder, but there is an extreme probability that the men of bad character thought violence might be resorted to and resisted.

Much has been said about the "wrecking crew" that was imported into the ward by the anti-Deneen men, and much also has been said in regard to the character of the so-called "Deneen man" who committed the assault. When the case comes up in court an attempt will be made to show that he bought a knife a short time before the affray and that it had more the nature of a weapon than of a common pocket knife. On the other hand, an attempt will be made to prove that Roberts was solicitous about his lead pencils, knew that he would have to sharpen a good many, and bought an ordinary jackknife, such as he thought would be necessary for the purpose. Generally speaking, people do not think well of any man who uses a knife in a fight.

It has been said on one side that the killing of Kopf was wholly unprovoked, and on the other that Roberts acted strictly in self-defense. Surely these are matters to be determined by a jury listening to sworn evidence. They cannot be determined by the hearsay statements of persons who did not witness the assault or the events that preceded it, or by the assertions of men who were at the time so excited and whose feelings are still so inflamed that they may not be unprejudiced witnesses as to what took place in their presence.

There is abundant evidence that a good deal of evil passion had been engendered over the ward club election. There was ill will on both sides. The partisans of Farnum and his opponents were unduly stirred up over an election of comparative insignificance. This was, it should be understood, only a "club" election, and it is an open question whether the party machinery would not run just as well if club elections were done away with, which is now proposed.

The killing of Mr. Kopf is all the more deplorable because the strife which led to it grew out of so unworthy a cause. The issues presented were not serious. It was of no great consequence which side carried the election. The life of the meanest man at the polls was worth more than the whole issue at stake.

Manifestly this is a case that should be dealt with in accordance with the ordinary forms of criminal procedure. No man, not of the immediate neighborhood, could refuse to serve on the jury because he was prejudiced for or against the defendants. No fair man can say in advance that he has formed such an opinion in the case that it cannot be removed by evidence. No man should wish to have the accused acquitted if they are guilty of the killing of Mr. Kopf with malice aforethought. On the other hand, no man should wish to have them denied a fair and impartial trial and to have all the evidence on their behalf presented in the appropriate tribunal.

Until the case has been tried in the manner provided by law and the verdict has been brought in THE TRIBUNE will suspend judgment and offer no opinion as to its merits. But it deeply deplores the death of Commissioner Kopf in what seems to have been an ordinary election brawl rather than in a cause involving on either side a righteous principle of deep significance.

CUMULATIVE VOTING IN WISCONSIN.

Gov. La Follette has made an interesting recommendation for the amendment of the Wisconsin primary election law. It is impracticable to require that nominees at primary elections shall receive a majority of the votes. The man with a plurality must be declared the winner. Often there are several candidates for a nomination. The plurality, and with it the nomination, may then be gained by a man who gets only a fourth or a fifth of the votes and who is the last person a majority wanted chosen.

Gov. La Follette proposes so to amend the Wisconsin statute as to enable the voters to indicate a second as well as a first choice of the candidates for an office. Then if no candidate was the first choice of a majority the second choice would be added to the first choice votes and the man receiving the largest number of both kinds of votes would be the nominee. Nominations would still be by plurality in case nobody received a majority of the first choice votes, but it would not be possible for them to be made by such small minorities as they sometimes are under the present system.

The Wisconsin governor's recommendation is not a disinterested one. Its immediate object is to keep the "stalwart" faction from naming the candidates of the republican party in the state. The La Follette faction largely outnumbers the stalwarts, but if the La Follette following split up and voted for two or three men for the nomination for governor and the stalwarts concentrated their votes on one man the stalwart candidate might win. If the proposed plan of cumulative voting shall be adopted the governor and his friends seem sure to stay on top.

Primary elections have been substituted for conventions to reduce the power of the wirepuller and the boss. Nominations by minorities are not as bad as nominations by one man, but they should be prevented as far as possible. They might take place under such a system as Gov. La Follette advocates, but they would be less frequent than they are now. As one step further toward real majority rule the scheme seems worthy of adoption in other states besides Wisconsin.

BUT wouldn't Mr. Depew make a peach of an ex-senator?

MARK TWAIN says he never did a day's work in his life. This is calculated to remove the impression that piloting a Mississippi river steamboat in the old days was anything like work.

Gov. LA FOLLETTE ends the terrible suspense by accepting the senatorship, but he retains a middling tight grip on Wisconsin.

WITH the assistance of Mr. Hughes the officers of one of the big life insurance companies have parted with some of the reserve they have maintained hitherto.

THE paternal theory of government is particularly offensive to those persons who raise garden seeds for a living.

THEN there is the bitter reflection that if the Dalrymple report had been published when it first came everybody would have forgotten it by this time.

THE $4,100,000 it cost to elect Grover Cleveland president must seem to Col. Watterson, even after the lapse of all these years, a wicked waste of money.

IT is a solemn thought that New York can have no change of United States senators earlier than 1909, unless there should be a resignation or something of that nature.

FORTUNATELY the streets in the downtown district are broad, and Christmas shoppers are not compelled by law to restrict themselves to the use of the sidewalks.

IT would be impolite to ask the president how much longer than 25,000 words his message was before he condensed it into the shape in which it finally appeared.

THE railways in Illinois are perfectly willing to make that 20 per cent reduction in freight, so far as they are concerned, but they ache for the employés whose salaries they may be compelled to reduce in consequence.

THE goosebone and the muskrat are said to be at variance as to the kind of winter we are to have. This is deplorable, but it leaves a clear field for the official weather department.

SOMETHING has been gained by the life insurance investigation. The policy holders may feel measurably sure that they will not have to make any of those involuntary contributions to campaign funds hereafter.

A MAGAZINE article by Mr. Zimmerman, giving full particulars of the little scheme by which he put J. Pierpont Morgan $6,000,000 to the bad, would be sure of ready acceptance at his own price.

ABDUL HAMID may have no Monroe doctrine that protects his islands, but he has a few things planted along the Dardanelles that he thinks will answer the purpose as to Constantinople.

YOU can't keep a good man down, and it appears to be equally impossible to keep the Hon. Bob Burke down.

THE football season having ended, a six days' bicycle race will do well enough for tapering off purposes.

MR. GILHOOLEY may be ranked as one of the most expensive men that ever broke into the Criminal court.

IN A MINOR KEY.

Not a Recreation.

The pale, intellectual, spectacled young professor arose from his seat in the grand stand and went away before the football game was half over.

"I find myself becoming too much wrought up," he said. "It excites me as if I were playing a game of chess."

Vindicated at Last.

They had killed the goose that laid the golden eggs.

"We consider it an economic necessity," they said. "If we had let her go ahead and lay a solid gold egg every day of her life the result would have been an overproduction of the yellow metal, followed by a disturbance of values, a panic, and widespread calamity."

Although they knew it would be heralded far and wide as an act of overweening greed that brought its own punishment with it, they calmly cooked and ate the old fowl, content to await time's sure vindication.

Undeveloped.

There was a noticeable hoarseness in Bessie's voice as she came down to breakfast.

"You'll have to take something for that frog in your throat, child," said her mother.

"I dess not, mamma," said Bessie. "It isn't a fwog. It's only a little pollywog."

Making It Pleasant for Them.

Aunt Abigail had consented at last to give her house an external treatment for chronic shabbiness.

The painters did a good job, finishing the front steps last, but forgot to put a board across the balusters to keep persons from running up or down the steps, and the good dame did not observe the oversight.

While she was clearing away the supper dishes, an hour or two after the painters had gone, there came a ring at the front doorbell.

Aunt Abigail, full of wrath, hastened to the door and opened it.

There stood the pastor and his wife.

"I'm delighted to see you, Mr. and Mrs. Baxter," she said, with a frosty smile. "I'm delighted to see you—but I just knew somebody would come up those freshly painted steps before they were dry. Come right in and make yourselves at home, and don't forget, for goodness' sake, to wipe your feet on this mat inside!"

Varying It This Year.

Kitty has written her Christmas letter. It isn't to Santa Claus this time.

It is addressed to a different person, and is as follows:

"Dear Mr. Burbank:

"Will you please invent a turkey that will be all white meat?

"And oblige

Your little friend,

"KITTY."

Confidenced?

"Henry, do you know what you said in your sleep last night?"

"No; what was it, Alvira?"

"I shall not tell you."

"O, well, it doesn't make any difference. A man is not responsible for anything he says in his sleep. By the way, here's the $50 you wanted to spend for Christmas things. Now what was it I said?"

"You didn't say anything, Henry."

C. W. T.

LETTER OF MARQUISE DE FONTENOY

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THAT diplomatic offices are not always beds of roses and merely ornamental is strikingly shown by the present condition of affairs at St. Petersburg, where the situation has become so grave that serious fears are entertained with regard to the safety of the lives of the members of the foreign embassies.

With the troops in a state of mutiny and disaffection rife on every side, there is no knowing at what moment the masses, incited by the anarchists and most advanced of the nihilists, may not start out to plunder all the well to do and to destroy everybody and everything that stands in their way.

It is precisely at such moments as these that diplomats are expected to be at their posts, not merely for the purpose of keeping their respective governments informed of the march of events, but, above all, in order to devise measures for the protection of the lives and property of their fellow-countrymen, for whose safety they are responsible. That is why the American ambassador to the court of the czar, George Von L. Meyer, was entirely right in hastening back to St. Petersburg as fast as he could travel the moment that the situation became critical in the Muscovite capital.

The last occasion on which any Christian capital in Europe was confronted by perils such as those which now prevail at St. Petersburg was in 1871, at the outbreak of the commune insurrection in Paris. In that case, too, the American envoy, Washburne, stuck nobly to his post throughout the entire rebellion, caring for not only his fellow-countrymen but also for those unfortunate Germans who had been unable to get away before the war broke out and who had been placed under his protection.

The English embassy had been left in charge of Lord Sackville, acting as chargé d'affaires, the ambassador, Lord Lyons, having betaken himself to Tours and Bordeaux. But Lord Sackville found the atmosphere of Paris too unpleasant and deserted his post. Sir Edward Malet happened to be at Versailles at the time, and, learning by mere chance that the embassy at Paris was deserted, its archives in danger, and the large colony of English people (many of them destitute, consequent upon the stoppage of trade and work during the German siege) entirely without proper protection or care, he at once made his way through the insurgent lines into the city at the risk of his life and assumed charge of the embassy, saving the latter from being pillaged and many of his countrymen and countrywomen from death either through want or at the hands of the insurgents.

Indeed, Edward Malet's conduct on this occasion proved the turning point of his career. It secured warm admiration both at court in England and at the foreign office. It won for him the order of the Bath and rapid promotion, and although he was a mere second secretary, low down on the list at the time of the commune, fourteen years later found him a full fledged British ambassador at Berlin.

At Constantinople, as in every oriental capital, there is always the danger of a sudden rising against the Christians. It is a danger often forgotten, sometimes ignored, but yet which is real, all the more so since these anti-Christian, anti-European outbreaks, arising in the first place from fanaticism and fostered by love of plunder, seldom give any previous warning. Indeed, their origin is often difficult to trace. That is why every great power, excepting the United States, maintains a guardship—usually a large gunboat or a small cruiser—at anchor in the waters of the Bosporus—that is to say, under the walls of Constantinople. The avowed purpose of the guardship is to serve as a refuge to the members of the embassy, of the consulate, and of the countrymen of the nation whose flag it flies.

On the occasion of the terrible Armenian massacres at Constantinople, ten or twelve years ago, the late Sir Michael Herbert, who was acting as chargé d'affaires of the British embassy, quietly caused the crew of the English guardship Imogene to be strongly reinforced with sailors from the Mediterranean squadron, and then, when, with the connivance of the Ottoman authorities, the massacres of the Armenians were developing into a general rising of the Moslem population against the Europeans, he, without asking for instructions from home, landed almost the entire force of English sailors from the guardship and marched them, fully armed and with their machine guns, through the streets of Constantinople to the embassy, stationing detachments of the British jack tars at various points outside the walls of the embassy.

There was an immediate protest on the part of the sultan and of the porte, and when these were treated with indifference the foreign minister, the grand vizier, and the great dignitaries of the court were hurried by the sultan to the embassy to entreat Michael Herbert to withdraw the sailormen whose presence, as an armed force, in the Turkish capital constituted so serious a blow to the prestige of the padishah in the eyes of his native subjects.

But Herbert, though so gentle mannered and shy, showed himself on this occasion obdurate and declined to withdraw a single one of the men as long as the massacres continued. And they stopped thereupon as if by enchantment, thus furnishing incontrovertible evidence to the effect that the bloodshed never could have taken place without the toleration and good will of the Turkish authorities.

The siege of the foreign legations at Peking, within the precincts of which most of the foreign residents of the Chinese capital had sought refuge, is of too recent date to need more than passing reference here, and if I mention it it is merely because it furnishes another illustration of the fact that ambassadors, ministers, and their secretaries are apt at times to be suddenly called upon to deal with tasks calling for more presence of mind, decision of character, and pluck than are involved by ordinary diplomatic negotiations, ornamental representation, and the exchange of hospitalities.

Former Ambassador Billot, who for a number of years represented France at Rome, has just published a volume of reminiscences in which he refers to the cavalier, offhand way in which Prime Minister Crispi was wont to treat foreign envoys accredited to the court of the quirinal.

He states that on one occasion when he called to see Crispi at the Consulta palace the Italian premier failed to rise from his chair to greet him and contented himself with a mere friendly wave of the hand. Billot, determined to teach him a lesson, walked straight to the window and exclaimed:

"What a superb view! What is that monumental building there?"

"Why, the Rospiglios palace, of course," replied Crispi, without moving.

"And what is that?" continued the ambassador.

"What?" inquired the premier.

"Come here and see," demanded Billot, and Crispi accordingly was forced to rise from his chair and stride towards the window. Before he had reached his destination the ambassador came towards him, saying:

"O, I recognize it now. It is, of course, the pavilion, where I already have had occasion to admire Guido's Aurora."

Crispi looked hard at the ambassador for a minute and then broke into a smile. He had understood the little lesson, and thenceforth Billot had no further occasion to complain of his not rising when he called to see him.

The late Lord Dufferin's lesson to Crispi in a similar affair was of a less friendly character. One day the usher at the Consulta announced to Premier Crispi the advent of the marquis of Dufferin, and threw open the folding doors leading into the office of the chief of the Italian government.

Crispi, without attempting to rise from the armchair in which he was lounging, contented himself with airily waving his hand to the British ambassador and bade him a negligent good morning, smiling pleasantly as he did so. The smile was not returned, and Lord Dufferin, sticking his eyeglass in his eye, stopped short on the threshold and gazed steadfastly at Crispi with such an expression of mingled hauteur and surprise that the premier at last understood. Jumping up in much confusion he rushed towards the marquis, overwhelming him with apologies for his unintentional discourtesy.

Age of Graft.

Young Mrs. Doughdust—"O, Jack, baby spoke his first word today. He said 'rakeoff' as distinctly as you or father could."—Puck.

A LINE-O'-TYPE OR TWO.

THE OLD SCRAP BOOK.

And opened the pages, with gentle smiles
Bulky and dusty, with yellowed leaves,
We found it today near the attic eaves
For all the mementos of other whiles,
Until, with a clipping on Malvern hill—
The battle, you know, where her youngest fell—
We found she had pasted, the page to fill,
The four little verses she loved so well.

Often and often, we minded now
How she, when the frownings would mark the brow,
Would quote from the verses that touched her heart,
Would quote them with simple and subtle art,
And how we had wondered at all the grace
And sweetness that then would her accents fill—
But now we have found it. She gave it place
Along with the clipping on Malvern hill.

The scrap book fell open at this worn leaf
As though she had held it in days of grief,
As though she had sought it, when all was done,
To read and to dream of her soldier son.
A mystical something was roundabout,
A marvelous sense of a subtle spell
Blent in with the lines that had soothed her doubt—
The four little verses she loved so well.

And out of the shadows, it seemed to us,
Her voice came in whisperings tremulous
That breathed forth the musical, haunting rhymes
Of this little poem of olden times.
She took of her grief and her joy to fill
This yellowing page with the slips that tell
The sorrow that sank over Malvern hill,
The peace in the poem she loved so well.

W. D. N.

NEWS OF THE THEATERS.

Maxine Elliott will be the Christmas week attraction at Powers'. She will begin a fortnight engagement there with a matinée on Christmas day, presenting her latest success, Clyde Fitch's "Her Great Match"—the play in which she assumes the rôle of a young American girl who is loved by the crown prince of some mythical kingdom, and who causes the royal lover to resign all claims to his throne in order to win her as wife.

"Wizard of Oz" will come "home" to the Grand to spend the holidays. It plays a return engagement there, beginning Dec. 24. "In Old Kentucky" will reach McVicker's on the same date, and "Fritz in Tammany Hall," with Joe Cawthorn as the star, arrives at the Illinois in time for Christmas eve opening.

The unqualified critical commendation which "Mlle. Modiste" received after its presentation Monday night at the Illinois by Miss Scheff and her company has resulted in capacity houses. The sudden curtailing of the engagement here and the hurrying of the attraction to New York in time for an opening on Dec. 18, is due to reasons similar to those which caused "The Squawman" to be hustled away from Powers' so unceremoniously a few weeks ago. There soon is to be presented in New York a new light opera with Louis Mann and Clara Lipman in the stellar rôles, and it is understood that the plot of the piece is similar in subject and character to that of "Mlle. Modiste." In order to "get there first" the engagement here was shortened from the original three to two weeks, and Miss Scheff and her company will rush Gothamwards as soon as the performance at the Illinois one week from Saturday night is ended.

Tonight in the Auditorium the Chicago Musical college will give its annual faculty concert, and it is understood that so keen has been the public desire to hear certain of the musicians announced to appear, that all the seats on the lower floor have been sold already, and that also both the balcony and the gallery places are largely disposed of. The Thomas orchestra will assist, and will be under the direction of Alexander von Fielitz, the German composer and conductor. The soloists will be Emile Sauret, violinist; Waldemar Lütschg, pianist; Dr. Louis Falk, organist; Chris Anderson, baritone; and Mabel Sharp Herdien, soprano. Mr. Sauret will play the Ernst F sharp minor Concerto, Mr. Lütschg the Beethoven E flat major, and Mr. Falk the Guilmant Symphonie op. 42. Mr. Anderson will sing the "Wotan's Farewell" from "Die Walküre" and Mrs. Herdien a new composition by Mr. Von Fielitz, entitled "The Nun." The orchestra will head the program with the Prelude to "Die Meistersinger."

The Chicago Madrigal club will inaugurate its fifth season tonight by a concert in Music hall. The assisting soloists will be Mrs. Adah Markland Sheffield, soprano, and Mrs. Marie White Longman, contralto.

The School of Music of the Northwestern university announces a chamber music concert given by the University String quartet for tomorrow night in Music hall, corner Orrington avenue and University place, Evanston. The program consists of the C major Quartet of Mozart, the Terzetto op. 74 of Dvorak, and the Schubert D minor Quartet.

Harald Heide, who is considered the ablest player of the violin in Norway, will give a concert tomorrow evening in Wicker Park hall. He will play, among other numbers, the "Zigeunerweisen" of Sarasate, the Polonaise of Wieniawski, the Romance of Svendsen, and a Presto by Sinding.

Brahm Van Der Berg, a pianist who has found considerable approval in Europe and in the east, is scheduled for a recital in Music hall next Tuesday evening.

This afternoon at 4:15 o'clock the course of lectures on "The Poetic Drama" will be resumed with a lecture by Dr. Richard Burton on "Realism on the Stage." This is the first of Prof. Burton's series of three lectures on "The Drama of Today." The lectures will be preceded by an organ recital by Arthur Dunham, beginning at 4 o'clock.

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"Jennings is making all the other autoists turn green with envy."

"How so? Has he bought a costlier machine?"

"No, but he has some new equipment features."

"What are they?"

"A claim agent and a trial lawyer."—Nashville American.

Prophecy in Doubt.

Henry Hudson had just cast anchor off the island of Manhattan.

"Py der greadt horn shpoon!" he ejaculated, "vot a peautiful liddle islandt! I'll pet a knickel dot some tay it vill pe der brivate property ohf some fine chentleman."

Now, the question arises, to whom did the famous Dutch navigator refer in this prophetic moment?—Judge.

Vive Jennie!

Alice—"Genevieve's young man in Chelsea sent her a lovely locket for a birthday present."

Maude—"Did he?"

Alice—"Yes. Marked with the initial 'J.'"—Somerville Journal.

SHAW OFFERS TIGHT MONEY CURE; ALIEN PERIL SEEN BY METCALF.

Secretary of Treasury Suggests National Banks Issue Taxed Currency in Times of Financial Stringency; Would Keep Rates Down.

Overwhelming Tide of Immigration and Nation's Difficulty in Assimilating Newcomers Pointed Out by Secretary of Commerce and Labor.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 6.—[Special.]—The issuing of a limited amount of government secured taxed currency by the national banks in times of financial stress to prevent the inflation of the loan rate is recommended by Secretary of the Treasury Shaw in his report to congress.

The recent high interest rates in Wall street are cited by the secretary as instances showing the need of a more elastic currency and one that can be inflated without creating distrust or even any great amount of attention. He cites that the call money rate of 25 per cent in November was not a much more dangerous condition than that millions should have been loaned at 1 per cent in July. This alternation of high and low rates, between which, he declares, the relation of cause and effect is evident, should be rendered impossible.

"As a means to this end," says the secretary in his report, "I suggest the advisability of permitting national banks to issue a volume of additional government guaranteed currency, equal in amount to 50 per cent of the bond secured currency maintained by them, but subject to a tax of 5 or 6 per cent until redeemed by the deposit of a like amount in the treasury.

Make Notes Like Regular Currency.

"By eliminating the words 'secured by United States bonds deposited with the treasurer of the United States' from national bank notes now authorized, the additional currency would be identical in form with that based upon a deposit of bonds, and its presence would not alarm, for it would not be known.

"The tax would be ample, and more than ample, to cover the risk to the government in guaranteeing redemption. Manifestly this additional currency would not spring into being until interest rates exceeded 6 per cent, and it would as promptly retire when rates became normal. Under these or any similar provisions 10 per cent money would be well nigh impossible, and the treasury department would be saved a most embarrassing responsibility."

Scarcity of "Change" Felt.

A dearth of money, either coin or notes of small denomination, is told of and the embarrassments attending this condition of affairs pointed out. The report says:

"The demand for small denominations of currency has been continuous throughout the year. Bills of the denomination of $20 and over have been redeemed and reissued in the smaller denominations in an effort to respond to the demands for small notes.

"The limit practically has been reached in making changes in the denominations outstanding through the process of redemption and reissue.

"During the last year the usual facilities have been extended to aid in the movement of the crops. The deposits for transfer in the New York and Chicago subtreasuries were $30,093,034, for which payments by telegraph were made at other points in the denominations required to meet the demands of the locality in which the funds were to be used. If these accommodations are to be continued some action must soon be taken by congress to enlarge the volume of small notes."

Tells of "Clean" Money Hogs.

Profligacy in "clean" money is criticised by the secretary in commenting on the advantage being taken of a law which provides "silver coins other than the trade dollar shall be paid out at the several mints, and at the assay office in New York City, in exchange for gold coins at par, in sums not less than $100."

"Instances have been noted of banks and department stores which made a specialty, for advertising purposes, of paying out only new coin," says the report.

"The manufacture and issue of new coin by the mints, when the treasury already holds a stock ample to supply all needs, is wrong, and if the practice of obtaining new coin at the mints continues to grow the treasury will be unable to put out any coin that has been in circulation. I recommend the repeal of the provision quoted.

The report shows that the ordinary revenues for 1905, as compared with 1904, show an increase of $3,642,935.45, while the expenditures were less by $15,128,407.86. The net result for the fiscal year was an excess of expenditures over revenues of $23,004,228.60.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 6.—[Special.]—The annual report of the secretary of commerce and labor, made public today, is a voluminous document covering a field of the greatest variety. From federal supervision of insurance companies, laws for the restriction of immigration and investigation of trusts, the subjects discussed range down to a biological dissertation on the propagation of the desirable oyster and hard shell clam.

On the subject of immigration to which the report devotes considerable space, Secretary Metcalf has this to say:

"The number of aliens who applied for admission during the year—1,026,499—is in excess by 237,507 of the number reported for 1882, the arrivals during which year were in excess of those during any year prior to 1903, and 213,629 in excess of the arrivals in 1904. With respect to the sources from which these immigrants are derived, it is interesting to note that, compared with the corresponding figures for the last year, the quota from Russia increased by 39,756; from Italy 28,183, and from the united kingdom 49,544.

Peril in Immigration Increase.

"The important feature is that more than a million aliens have been added to our population in the course of twelve months, a fact that suggests the necessity of considering whether some adequate measure should not be adopted so to limit the number of arrivals as to lessen the obvious dangers from our alien population increasing more rapidly than it can be assimilated. Various suggestions have been made with this end in view, but there is none which promises so effectively to control the actual number of arrivals as the suggestion of the commissioner general that the number brought on any vessel should be limited so as to bear a fixed ratio to the tonnage of such vessel. Such a plan would furthermore have the additional advantage that it would remove the temptation to bring aliens of whose admissibility there could be any question, as well as avoid the insanitary conditions resulting from overcrowding in the steerage.

"I desire also to urge upon congress the necessity of locating at foreign ports of embarkation medical and immigrant inspectors.

Would Let In Certain Chinese.

"The agitation of the subject of Chinese exclusion during the last year suggests the necessity of a critical consideration of our laws. We cannot expect to establish close commercial relations with a country against whose people alone we have an exclusion law, unless that law is so framed as to do more than is necessary for the protection of the United States. . . . To obviate this difficulty I have to urge, as has been recommended by the commissioner general also, that suitable provision be made for the issuance of certificates to persons of the exempt classes in China."

The question of federal supervision of insurance was carefully considered by the bureau. The report says: "The recent investigations under state authority of certain insurance companies show the need of careful supervision, but it is clear that the commissioner of corporations, under the present act, and in view of the decisions of the supreme court, has no jurisdiction over insurance companies. Whether the federal government can supervise and regulate insurance companies can be determined only after further legislation and judicial decision."

Trade of Nation Booming.

The bureau of statistics reports a gratifying condition in trade and trade relations during the year just ended. The report adds:

"The foreign commerce of the United States in the fiscal year 1905 exceeded, both in imports and exports, that of any preceding year. The imports were $1,117,513,071 in value, exceeding by $91,[illegible],884 those of 1903, the highest record of any preceding year; and the exports were $1,518,561,888, exceeding by $57,734,395 those of 1904 and by $30,796,675 the highest record of any earlier year. The growth in imports occurs chiefly in materials for use in manufacturing and the growth in exports occurs chiefly in manufactures."

The report advocates the enactment of a law which will prohibit aliens fishing in Alaskan water. This is based upon the encroachment of Japanese fishermen on the salmon fisheries.

PERSONAL.

Miss Mary Tillinghast of New York is one of the most successful designers of stained glass windows in America.

The duke of Connaught will sail for south Africa on Dec. 23. He will inspect the troops at the principal barracks and visit the battlefields of the Boer war.

Gov. Folk's definition of "graft" is to be used in the Standard dictionary. He has received a letter from the publishers asking permission to place his definition in the work, which is being revised.

William Thompson, who died the other day at Shelbyville, Ind., aged 77, was known as the man who sold his gold at $2.75 during the civil war. This premium was within 10 cents of the highest price ever paid for gold.

Brig. Gen. Thomas H. Barry, who was with the Russian army in Manchuria, will be made president of the army war college.

Haakon, which Prince Charles of Denmark assumed on ascending the Norwegian throne, recalls that state's past when an independent kingdom. Haakon VI., who died in 1380, was the last king whom Norway had of its own. His widow, Margaret, a Danish princess, came to rule over Norway, Denmark, and Sweden, and strove to make the arrangement lasting by the union of 1397. Sweden revolted under Gustavus Vasa, the contemporary of King Henry VIII. of England, but Norway remained a Danish dependency until 1814.

WHAT DID HE MEAN?

"Bad weather we're having."

"Couldn't be worse."

"How's your wife?"

"About the same, thank you."—The Sketch.

IN THE SOCIETY WORLD.

MRS. FERNANDO JONES RECALLS RECEPTION CARDS.

Serious Illness Prevents from Introducing Her Granddaughter, Miss Leslie Grant, to Society Next Saturday as Planned—Mrs. McCormick and Mrs. Stanley McCormick to Receive on Dec. 20—Miss Elizabeth Belden Entertains Bridemaids.

Owing to the serious illness of Mrs. Fernando Jones, 1834 Prairie avenue, the cards for her reception to have been held next Saturday afternoon have been recalled. The affair was planned to introduce Mrs. Jones' granddaughter, Miss Leslie Grant. Mrs. Jones has been far from well during the last three months, and her present illness is one which will keep her from entertaining at all this winter. It has been Mrs. Jones' dream for several years to see her granddaughter formally presented to society. The two have been constant companions ever since Miss Grant's childhood, and are devoted to each other.

Mrs. Edward F. Lawrence, 57 Lake Shore drive, has recalled her invitations for the dinner to have been given on the evening of Dec. 27.

Mrs. D. Harry Hammer, 3903 Lake avenue, is giving a series of high teas, the first taking place this evening. It is in honor of Mr. and Mrs. George Raymond Jenkins, who have just returned from their wedding trip. The second will take place tomorrow evening when the guests of honor will be Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Dennet Grover, while the third and last will be on Dec. 16, and for Prof. and Mrs. Edwin Earle Sparks. On each occasion there will be twenty-two guests, all seated at a large, round table.

Mrs. McCormick and Mrs. Stanley McCormick have cards out for a reception to take place on Wednesday, Dec. 20, from 4:30 to 7 o'clock at the McCormick residence, 135 Rush street.

The Misses Pardee, 405 North State street, will give a tea on Saturday from 3 to 6 o'clock in honor of Mrs. Sweeney, who recently came to the city a bride, and for Miss Smith.

Mrs. Jacob Rambo Custer, 3928 Grand boulevard, will give a tea on Tuesday, Dec. 19, from 3 to 5 o'clock at the Chicago Woman's club, 203 Michigan avenue. The guests are asked to meet Mrs. Charles B. Kelsey of Grand Rapids, Mich.

Mrs. J. M. Dickinson, 889 Erie street, entertained fourteen young women at luncheon yesterday in honor of Miss Eleanor Mason, who was a debutante of last Saturday.

Miss Elizabeth Belden, who will be married to Mr. Roy McWilliams on Saturday afternoon, entertained at luncheon yesterday at the Woman's Athletic club, the guests numbering eight, being her maid of honor and bridemaids, with several others. The party later attended the matinée.

Among the interesting bazaars of the week is that of the Kenwood Institute Alumnæ association, which will be held at the school, 40 East Forty-seventh street, the coming Saturday.

Mrs. William E. Fisher has cards out for Thursday, Dec. 14, from 2 to 5 o'clock, at the Lessing annex.

Miss Swindell of Baltimore is visiting Miss Natalie Duell.

The United States Daughters of 1812, State of Illinois, will give a luncheon at the rooms of the Chicago Woman's club Monday, Dec. 18. After luncheon Mrs. Harry Hammer will give a paper on "Caricatures of Uncle Sam."

Mrs. Wellington T. Stewart, 978 Douglas boulevard, entertained fifty guests at a luncheon yesterday afternoon in honor of her two sisters-in-law, Mrs. C. Fred Stewart and Mrs. H. John Stewart.

The women of Union Park Congregational church, Washington and Ashland boulevards, will hold a holiday sale in the parlors of the church tomorrow and Saturday, Dec. 8 and 9. A New England dinner will be served tomorrow evening from 5 to 8 o'clock.

AMUSEMENTS.

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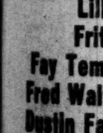

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One $120.00 green broadcloth coat reduced now to $75.00.
One $85.00 helio broadcloth coat reduced now to $60.00.
One $115.00 white broadcloth coat reduced now to $85.00.
One $125.00 white lace coat reduced to $90.00.
One $250.00 white lace coat reduced to $125.00.
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Advance of Circulating Medium to 25 Per Cent Serves to Check Operations —Union Pacific and the Gould Issues Strong in Sympathy with One Another — Subtreasury Statement Shows Loss by Banks to That Institution of More than $3,000,000.

[BY A SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 6.—[Special.]—Gains in special stocks were noticeable in the market today, while the general list showed decided activity at times. The closing tone of the market was weak. The spurts in the money rate seemed to have the effect of simply checking operations until the late flight to 25 per cent weakened the whole market. There was no evidence of enforced liquidation caused by extensive calling of loans and shifting of accounts.

Union Pacific was steadily fed to the market at a fractional advance over last night and which made the highest price of the day immediately after the opening. There was the same tendency manifest in United States Steel stocks and Reading also showed the effect of a similar process. Added to this was the effect of profit taking in some of the specialties.

Lead, the southern iron stocks, and the junior Vanderbilts were all subject of merger rumors, none of which was new in any particular. The relapse in Lead was especially violent and New York, Chicago and St. Louis, which again led the Vanderbilt movement, lost all of its sensational gain on the reaction. The declaration of only the regular dividend on American Smelting deprived that stock of one cause of stimulation.

The Gould group of railroads was distinctly strong in sympathy with one another. The list of substantial leaders which shared in the day's advances was small, however. Amalgamated Copper had the advantage of another advance in the price of copper.

The day's subtreasury figures showed the loss of the banks to that institution since Friday swelled to $3,125,000. New York exchange at Chicago rose to 25c premium from yesterday's 40c rate. Foreign exchange was less affected in spite of the relaxation in foreign money markets, but exchange rates yielded during the day.

Bonds were irregular. Total sales, par value, $2,460,000. United States bonds were all unchanged on call.

Money on call strong and higher, 10@25 per cent; closing bid 20; offered at 22. Time money strong; 60 days, 7 per cent; 90 days and 6 months, 6. Close: Prime mercantile paper, 5½@5¾ per cent. Sterling exchange weak, with actual business in bankers' bills at 485.25@485.30 for demand and at 482.20@482.25 for 60 day bills. Posted rates, 483@483½ and 486½@487. Commercial bills, 482. Bar silver, 64. Mexican dollars, 49½. Government bonds steady. Railroad bonds irregular.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE TRANSACTIONS.

Description.	Sales.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close—Dec.	Dec.
Allis-Ch.	25,300	23½	24½	22⅞	22⅞	22½
Do pfd.	5,100	64¾	66¾	64¾	64¾	64⅜
Amal. Cop.	400,900	95⅝	97	93⅝	96¾	96¾
Am. Agr.	400	25½	25½	25½	25½	25½
Am. Car Fdry.	14,900	42	42½	41⅜	41⅜	42⅜
Am. Cot. Oil.	4,700	14	14	13¾	13¾	13¾
Do pfd.	600	93	95	92⅜	92⅜	92
Am. Grass.	100	94½	94½	94½	94½	94½
Am. Hide.	1,500	85	85	84	84	84
Do pfd.	4,500	36	37½	36	36½	36
Am. Ice Sec.	7,200	35⅝	35⅝	34½	34⅝	35
Am. Linseed.	1,900	20¾	20¾	20	20¾	20¾
Do pfd.	2,700	43	45	43	43¾	42
Am. Loco.	18,500	72¾	72¾	70⅞	70⅞	72⅜
Do pfd.	500	118	118	117⅞	117⅞	118
Am. Malt pfd.	100	26	26	26	26	
Am. Steel Fdry.	800	12¾	12¾	12¾	12¾	12
Am. Sugar.	1,900	146	146	145	145	146
Am. Smelting.	13,400	155	155¾	151¼	152	152¾
Do pfd.	900	130	131	129¾	129¾	130
Do 2d pfd B.	100	104¾	104¾	104¾	104¾	104¾
Am. Sugar.	29,400	140¾	143¾	140¾	142⅝	140¾
Am. Tel. & Tel.	100	133	133	133	133	132½
Am. Tob. pfd.	1,500	108¾	108¾	108	108	108
Am. Woolen.	16,500	45¾	46⅞	45	45	45
Do pfd.	700	105¾	105¾	105¾	105¾	105¾
Anaconda.	7,800	158½	160	158½	157	158½
Atchison.	9,900	87¾	87¾	86⅝	86⅝	87¼
Do pfd.	700	104	104	103¼	103¼	103
A., T. & S. Fe.	300	161	161	160	160	161
B. & O.	3,000	113	113	112⅜	112⅜	112
Do pfd.	100	97	97	97	97	
B. R. T.	69,200	85¾	87⅜	85¾	86¾	85
B. U. Gas.	100	175	175	175	175	
Brunswick.	2,500	17¾	18⅜	17⅜	18¼	17¾
Butterick.	500	20	20	20	20	20
Can. Pacific.	6,100	174	174½	173	173½	173⅜
Can. So.	1,000	71⅜	73⅜	71⅜	72	70½
Cent. Leather.	1,100	45¾	46⅜	44⅝	44⅝	45⅛
Do pfd.	3,100	105	106¾	105	106	106¼
C. & O.	15,800	56	56	54⅜	54⅜	54⅜
C. G. W.	9,200	21¾	21¾	20⅝	20⅞	20⅝
Do pfd A.	100	77	77	77	77	76¼
Do B.	200	54¾	54¾	54½	54½	54½
C., C. & St. P.	31,400	178	178	177	176	177¾
C. St. P. M. & O.	100	185	185	185	185	185
C. & N. W.	1,100	220⅝	221	218	219	220
Chi. Un. Trac.	1,400	11	11	11	11	11
Do pfd.	100	38	38	38	38	40
C., C. & St. L.	3,800	103	103¼	102¾	103¼	102¾
C. F. & I.	6,600	48⅝	48⅝	47¾	47¾	47¾
Colo. So.	3,800	29½	29⅝	29¼	29½	29⅛
Do 1st.	2,800	66¾	68	66¾	67¾	66¼
Do 2d.	3,400	45¾	46¾	45¾	46¾	45¾
C. H. C. & I.	1,000	17¾	17¾	17	17	17¼
Con. Gas.	1,800	177	177½	176¾	177¼	
Corn Prod.	3,600	15¾	15¾	14¾	14¾	14⅝
Do pfd.	3,900	54⅞	55¾	54½	54⅝	54
D. & H.	300	225	225	223	223	224
D., L. & W. G.	25,300	36⅜	36⅜	35⅝	35⅞	36¼
Do pfd.	4,500	89	90⅜	89	89½	88⅜
Det. Ra.	400	93¾	94¾	93¾	94½	92⅜
Dis. Sec.	5,100	48	48¾	47¾	48	48
D., S. S. & A.	4,300	20	21	20	21	20
Do pfd.	2,300	40¾	41⅝	40¾	40¾	40
Erie.	49,000	48⅝	49⅜	48⅜	48⅝	48⅝
Do 1st.	400	80½	80⅝	80¼	80⅜	80¾
Do 2d.	300	73¾	73¾	73¾	73⅜	73¾
Fed. Mining.	300	134	136	134	135	
Do pfd.	700	108	108	106⅜	107	108¼
Gen. Elec.	2,200	184½	184½	183¾	183¾	183½
Gt. Nor. pfd.	1,700	272	272½	270	270	271⅝
Do rights.	2,500	3¾	3¾	3¾	3¾	3⅝
Havana Elec.	1,000	38	38	37	37	37
Int. Cent.	1,100	17¾	18	17¾	17¾	17¾
Int. Pacer.	11,800	57⅝	58	57¼	57½	57⅜
Do pfd.	2,100	87⅜	89	87⅜	88¾	87⅜
Int. Power.	2,900	55¼	55¾	55	55⅛	55¾
Ia. Cent.	4,700	27⅞	28½	27⅞	28⅜	27⅞
Do pfd.	3,900	58	58	57	57½	57⅝
K. & M.	300	58¾	58¾	58¾	58¾	57¾
K. C. So.	2,000	30¾	31¾	30½	30¾	30
Do pfd.	1,100	63	63¾	62¾	63¼	62¾
Knick. Ice.	2,200	52⅞	52⅞	52	52⅛	53
L. E. & W.	6,200	45¾	47	44¾	45	44¾
Do pfd.	300	98¾	98¾	98¾	98¾	90
L. & N.	3,500	152	152½	150¾	151¼	151¾
Man.	400	162¾	162¾	162¾	162¾	163
Man. Beach.	100	104¾	104¾	104¾	104¾	95
Met.	28,800	118	120⅜	117⅝	118	117⅝
Met. Sec.	12,400	72⅝	74	72	72⅝	73
Mex. Cent.	2,900	24	24¼	23⅜	23⅝	23¾
M., St. P. & S.S.M.	100	138¾	138¾	138	138	
Do pfd.	100	163¾	163¾	163¾	163¾	166¾
M. & St. L.	100	81	81	81	81	81
M., Kan. & T.	1,500	107¾	107¾	107¾	107¾	107¾
M., K. & T.	42,200	36½	39¾	36¼	38⅝	35⅜
Do pfd.	4,400	68¼	69¼	68¼	69⅛	67¾
Nat. Enamel.	100	118¾	118¾	118¾	118¾	118¾
N. C. & St. L.	400	149	150	149	150	147
Nat. Biscuit.	1,500	60	60¾	60	60¾	59¾
Nat. Lead.	49,200	85¾	85¾	84¾	85	84⅝
Do pfd.	1,300	108¾	108¾	106¾	106¾	109
N. Y. Air Brake.	1,500	164¾	164¾	164¾	164¾	163¾
N. Y. Central.	9,100	157	157⅜	156¾	157	156
N. Y. C. & St. L.	10,900	73¾	76¾	71⅞	71⅞	72¾
Do 2d.	2,200	93	95	93	95	92¾
N. Y., L. E. & W.	100	196	196	196	196	
Do rights.	2,200	5⅝	5⅝	5	5	5⅛
N. Y. C. & W.	1,100	32⅞	33⅞	31⅞	32	32¾
Nor. & W.	9,000	54¾	54¾	53⅝	53⅝	53¾
Do pfd.	100	92¾	92¾	92¾	92¾	92¾
Nor. Am.	8,500	100⅜	101¼	100	100⅜	99¾
Nor. Pac.	2,800	195	197	195	196	196
Pac. Mail.	5,300	52	52⅜	51	51	51⅛
Pennsylvania.	24,900	140⅜	140½	139⅜	139⅝	139¾
Peo. Gas.	24,900	104¾	105¼	103¾	104⅛	103⅞
P. & East.	1,900	44⅜	46	44¼	45	45
P., C. C. & St. L.	100	81	81	81	81	
Pressed Steel.	11,000	58¾	58¾	58¾	58¾	61¼
Do pfd.	2,400	101	101¼	101	101	100¾
R. Steel Spring.	9,800	62¾	63	61	61¾	62
Do pfd.	1,000	105	105	104¾	104¾	105
Reading.	13,800	136⅝	136⅞	135¾	135¾	135⅝
Rep. I. & S.	38,500	34¾	34¾	33½	33⅝	33⅞
Do pfd.	1,900	96⅜	96⅜	96	96	96
Rock Island.	7,900	28¾	27	26¾	26¾	26⅞
Do pfd.	8,100	68¾	68¾	67⅞	67⅞	67¾
St. L. & S. F. 1st.	700	74	74	74	74	74
Do 2d.	900	61¾	62	61	61	61
Do ctfs. 4%.	10,000	76⅞	76⅞	76⅞	76⅞	76⅞
St. L. & S. W.	2,400	29¾	32¾	29¾	32¾	29¾
Do pfd.	2,300	58	59	58	58	58
Sloss. Shef.	14,000	94¾	94¾	91½	92	92½
So. Pacific.	67,100	74¾	76⅜	74¼	76	74¾
Do pfd.	400	120	121	120	121	120
So. Ry.	4,900	34⅞	35	34½	34½	34⅜
Do pfd.	400	90¾	90¾	90¾	90¾	90¾
Tenn. Coal.	25,000	126	130	125½	127¾	124⅞
Tex. Pacific.	13,900	33¾	34⅜	33½	34	33⅜
Tol. Ry.	1,400	33	33	33	33	33
Tol. St. L. & W. pfd.	400	57¼	57½	56¾	57½	57
Union Bag pfd.	300	92	92	92	92	
Un. Pacific.	76,600	136⅜	136⅞	135¾	135⅝	136¼
Do pfd.	100	98¾	98¾	98¾	98¾	98¼
United Fruit.	500	105¾	106¾	105¾	106¾	105¾
Do pfd.	100	91¼	91¼	91¼	91¼	91¼
U. S. Ex.	17,000	46¾	47¼	45¾	45⅝	45⅝
Do pfd.	1,400	93½	93½	93½	93½	94¼
U. S. Leather.	200	11⅜	11⅜	11⅜	11⅜	
U. S. Rubber.	8,300	55¾	56¾	54¾	54¾	54¾
Do 1st.	3,900	106¾	106¾	106¾	106¾	106¾
Do 2d.	300	79¼	79¾	79¼	79¾	79
U. S. Reduct.	300	70¼	70¾	70¼	70¾	70
Do pfd.	500	104	104	104	104	104
U. S. Steel.	43,500	37⅜	37⅞	37	37	37
Do pfd.	1,200	104¾	104¾	104¾	104	104¾
Va. Coal & Coke.	800	46	46	44	44	44
Va. Car. Chem.	13,200	43¾	45¾	42¾	42¾	43¾
Do pfd.	400	111	111	111	111	111
Wabash.	1,500	20¾	21¼	20¾	21	20¾
Do pfd.	5,700	41¾	42	41¾	41¾	41¾
W. Union.	2,100	87¾	88¾	87¾	88¼	87¾
Westinghouse.	100	171	171	171	171	171
W. L. E.	2,600	19	19¼	19	19⅛	19¼
Do 1st.	100	79¾	79¾	79¾	79¾	79¾
Do 2d.	2,100	20¾	21¼	20¾	20¾	20⅝
Wis. Cent.	200	28¾	28¾	28¾	28¾	
Total.	1,319,400					

EXPRESS STOCKS.

Adams.	240@250	United States.	112@118
American.	221@230	Fargo.	227@240

GOVERNMENT BONDS.

U. S. 2s, reg.	100	2s, reg.	102⅜@103¼
U. S. 2s, coup.	100	2s, coup.	103@103¾
U. S. 3s, reg.	108	3s, reg.	108 @103¾
U. S. 3s, coup.	103	3s, coup.	103 @
U. S. 3s, small			103
U. S. 4s, reg.	103	4s, reg.	103 @104
U. S. 4s, coup.	103	4s, coup.	103 @104
U. S. 4s, new, reg.			122¾@123¼
U. S. 4s, new, coup.			123¼@123¾
D. C. 3.65s			118¾@119¼
Phil. 4s			100½@110¾

NEW YORK BOND SALES AND QUOTATIONS—10 A. M. TO 3 P. M.

$76000 Jap 4½s.	92¾@93	$7000 Nat R R M 4s	85¾@86
120000 do 2d 4½s.	82½@83		
11000 do 6s.	99¾@100	10000 N Y C 3½s	99½@99¾
34000 do 2d 6s.	104½@106	25000 do 4s	100¼@100¾
5000 U S of M 4s.	93	9000 do L S 3½s.	91¼
12000 Va 6s B B ctfs	21½@22	2000 N Y Dock 1st 4s	97
1000 Am C Oil 4½s	98	5000 Nor W P 6s	96
20000 Am Hide 6s	95¾@96	1000 Nor Pac 3s.	77
22000 Am Ice 6s.	85	15000 do P 4s	104¾@105
$77000 Am Tob 4s	81¾	16000 O R-N con 4s	100¼@101
57000 Am Tob. 6s.	116	19000 O S L 5ts 4s	95¾@96
51000 Atch conv 4s	102@¾	15000 do	102⅝@¾
80000 do g m 4s	102¼@¾	2000 Pa conv 3½s	102¾
1000 D-C 3½s	94½	2000 do rects of 1915	90¼
13000 do 4s.	102¼@¾	1000 Penna real est 4s	107
1000 do M 3½s.	91½	1000 P-E 1st 4s.	103¼
9000 do W Va 6s.	98½	16000 do inc	78@¾
8000 do S W 3½s	92¾@¾	1000 P C C-St L 4½s B	112¼
5000 B U Elev 1st	110¾@111	3000 P S-L 1st	119
2000 Can S 1st 5s	103¼	15000 Rdg gm 4s	102¾@103
1000 C of Ga 1st inc	95¾	1000 do J C 4s	99¾
63000 Cen Leg 5s.	100@¾	1000 R W-O cons.	116
1000 Cen P fdg 4s.	107	6000 St L-I M 4s.	94½
1000 C of N J 6s.	134	2000 do con	110¾
17000 do rcv.	133	11000 do 5s stamp.	116¼
7000 C-O 4½s	107¾@108¾	18000 St L-S F 4s	85¾@¾
86000 C B-Q 4s	101¼@¾	3000 St L S W 1st	97½
1000 do Den 4s	101¾	3000 do con	81
1000 C-E 1st	121¾	7000 St P M-M cons	139¼
11000 C R I-P R 4s	105¼	20000 S A-A P 4s.	90¾
44000 do R R 4s	79½@¾	5000 So Pac col 4 s	85¾
25000 do fdg 4s	95½@96	17000 do fdg 4s ctfs	96¾@97
5000 do col 5s	90¾	7000 Third Av 4s	94
1000 C StPM-O 6s	135½	2000 Und Lon 5s.	96¾
7000 Colo Ind 5s	120	20000 So Ry 5s	122¼
45000 do B.	72¾@73	10000 do St L 4s.	100½
49000 Colo Mid 4s	76½@77	18000 Stan Rope 6s	45
3000 Colo So 4s	94¼@¾	23000 do inc	34@¾
84000 Con Gas conv 6s	166@167	5000 T C I gm 5s	100¾
23000 Con Tob 4s	81¼@¾	6000 do Tenn 6s	110
5000 Con Gas 1st	105¾	1000 Term Assn St L 4s	150¾
2000 D-R G con 4s	101¼	10000 Tex Pac 1st 5s	112¾
45000 Dis Sec 5s	81½@¾	7000 Third Av 4s	94
90000 Erie conv 4s	108¾@¼	2000 Und Lon 5s.	96¾
7000 do Pa col 4s	95¼@¼	31000 U P 4s	106@¾
1000 G H-S A 1st	101	24000 do conv 4s	135¾@136
11000 Gn B B	21	5000 Unit R P 6s.	87½
2000 Hock V 4½s	110	10000 U S Lea 1st 6s	107¼@¾
3000 Ill C St L 3s	80¼	29000 U S Realty 5s	99¾@¾
2000 K C F S-M 4s	87	8000 U S Red 6s.	101¼
40000 Lack 1st 5s	115	77000 U S Steel 5s	96¼@¼
5000 L S-M 4s.	100¾	1000 Va Coal-Coke 6s	91
4000 L-N Un 4s	103¾	70000 Wab deb B	77
2000 do S Ry joint 4s	98	4000 do P T 1st 4s	98
5000 Man 4s	103¾	5000 do 2d 4s	85¼
17000 Mex C con 4s	81@¾	9000 W Md 4s	87¾
1000 do 1st inc	24¾	19000 W Shore 1st 4s	108¼@¼
1000 M K-E 1st 5s	115¾	12000 do reg	108¾
7000 M C 4s	100¾	2000 W U 4½s	110¾
30000 do 2d	89¼@¾	8000 W L E col 4s	82¾
30000 do ext 5s	106¾@107	8000 Wis Cen 4s	95¼@96
16000 do St L 4s	92¾@93¾		
7000 Mo P cons	125¾		
28000 Mass Elec 4s	89		

Total, $2,463,000.

IN THE NEW YORK MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Dec. 6.—There were radical advances today in dry goods in many lines of staples. While this upward move had a tendency to restrict business a much more important cause was the inability of buyers to secure deliveries even at the top of what is generally admitted to be a high market. Conditions were disappointing to buyers who have not carried liberally.

Metals—The London tin market reported another gain of about 12s 6d to 15s. Locally it was firm in sympathy and spot is quoted at $35.02½@35.15. Copper also was higher abroad, closing at £77 17s 6d for spot and £77 2s 6d for futures. Lake and electrolytic are quoted at $17.87½@18.00; and casting at $17.62½@17.87½. Lead was firm and unchanged at $5.35@5.85. In London an advance of 10s was reported, with spot closing at £17. Spelter continued firm, with London closing at £28 12s 6d and the local market at $6.40@6.50. Iron was unchanged in England. The local iron market was firm. No. 1 foundry, northern, is quoted at $18.75@19.35; No. 2 foundry, northern, at $18.25@18.85; No. 1 foundry, southern, at $18.50@18.75; No. 2 foundry, southern, at $18.00@18.25.

Butter—Firm, unchanged; receipts, 4,461 pkgs. Philadelphia—Firm; extra western creamery, 24½c; extra nearby prints, 27c.

Eggs—Firm, unchanged; receipts, 6,828 pkgs. Philadelphia—Firm; nearby fresh laid, loss off, 32c; nearby fresh, 31c, at mark; Western fresh, 31c at mark.

Poultry—Dressed, irregular; western chickens, 13½@15c; turkeys, 12@18c; fowls, 11@13c.

CHICKENS AGAIN RULE EASY.

There were good supplies of chickens on South Water street, and as buying was not spirited prices declined another ½c. Other kinds of poultry were steady.

POULTRY AND GAME.

Live turkeys	11@13c	Dressed ducks	10@12c
Live chickens	10c	Live ducks	10¼@11c
Spring chickens	9½c	Dressed turkeys	12@16c
Live geese, per doz.	$6.00@29.00	Dressed chickens	10c

DAIRY PRODUCTS.

Eggs, extra fine, 80 per cent fresh	31c	Firsts	19@21c
		Seconds	17@18c
Dp prime first	26c	Packing stock	15½@16c

Do at mark, general receipts, cases included 20@25c
Do storage 20c
Butter, dairies 20c
Cooley's 20c
Creamery, extra 25½c

FRUITS.

Oranges, box $2.25@3.00
Pears, per brl $1.00@2.50
Grape fruit $3.00@3.85
Apples, I bu $1.00@2.75
Do, Greenings, per brl $3.00@4.25
Do, Jonathans, per brl $2.25@3.00
Do, Kings, per brl $2.25@4.25
Lettuce, heads, per brl $3.00@3.50
Do, leaf, cases 10@20c
Onions, bu 60@65c
Cucumbers, per doz 75c@$1.15
Tomatoes, per case $1.00@$1.50
Pumpkins, doz 50@75c
String beans, hampers $2.00@3.00
Pea beans $1.63
Cheese, twins 11¾@12c
Do, daisies 12@13½c
Do, limburger 11@c
Do, Swiss block 12@12½c
Do, round 12@12½c
Do, brick 12@12½c
Do, 20 ounce $3.00@4.00
Lemons, per box $2.50@3.75
Bananas, per bunch 75c@$1.75
Grapes, basket, 4 lbs 14@16c
Do, 8 lb baskets 22@26c
Cranberries, Cape Cod, per brl $10.00@14.00

VEGETABLES.

Celery, box 40@75c
Turnips, sack 50@65c
Cabbage, new, crates $1.35@1.75
Potatoes, bu 50@65c
Do, sweets, per brl $2.00@3.05
Do, leaf, cases 10@20c

DRESSED BEEF.

Ribs, per lb—
No. 1 12½c
No. 2 8c
Loins, per lb—
No. 1 14c
No. 2 10c
Rounds, per lb—
No. 1 7c
No. 2 6c
Chucks, per lb— 4½c
Plates, per lb—
No. 1 3½c
No. 2 3½c

LAKE SHIPPING NEWS.

Vessel Movements.

FAIRPORT, O.—Arrived—Black.

MILWAUKEE, Wis.—Arrived—Peck, Brown.

ASHLAND, Wis.—Cleared—Venesuela, Duluth.

WAUKEGAN, Ill.—Cleared—Starrucca, Chicago; Butters, Ludington.

MARQUETTE, Mich.—Cleared—Mariska, Fulton, Choctaw, Cleveland.

MANITOWOC, Wis.—Arrived — Tuscarora, Mauch Chunk, Wilkinson.

GLEN HAVEN, Mich.—Cleared from South Manitou—John Lambert, 4 p. m.

CONNEAUT, O.—Arrived—Linn, Rensselaer. Cleared—Coal—Steinbrenner, Milwaukee.

TWO HARBORS, Minn.—Cleared—Gates, Queen City, Gratwick, Bunsen, Lake Erie ports.

ASHTABULA, O.—Arrived—Mather, Iron Age. Cleared—Coal—Colonel, Duluth; Aurora, Gladstone.

PORT COLBORNE, Ont.—Up—Gov. Smith, Chicago. Down—St. Louis, Pueblo. Arrived—J. R. Ketcham.

CLEVELAND, O.—Arrived—Pioneer, Antrim. Cleared—Coal—Lucy Neff, Racine. Billets—Howe, Waukegan.

ESCANABA, Mich.—Arrived—Niagara, Saunders. Cleared—George Stone, South Chicago; Republic, Nicholas, Andaste, Lake Erie ports.

DULUTH-SUPERIOR — Arrived — Saxona, Widiar, Codorus, Hoover & Mason, Cambria, Fairbairn, Ericson. Departed — Chandler, Northern Light, Superior, Duluth, Buffalo. Grain—Sonoma, Frank Gilchrist, Sinaloa, Jupiter, Buffalo.

BUFFALO, N. Y.—Arrived—Neptune, Jenks, Nechoto, Butler, Falcon, Clarke, Uranus, Samuel Mitchell, Robert Wallace, W. L. Brown. Cleared—Coal—Reed, Chicago; Hannah, Waukegan. Iron—Mary Boyce, Detroit. Light—R. S. Warner, Chicago.

SAULT STE. MARIE, Mich.—Up—Midland Queen, 10:30 Wednesday morning; Sonora, 11; W. H. Mack, 5; Woodruff, 6:30; Neebing, 9. Down—J. T. Hutchinson, 9:30 Tuesday night; Adams, 10; Luzon, Panay, 11; Frick, 1:40 Wednesday morning; Robbins, 6; Ireland, Parent, 8; Bangor, 7; Kensington, 8:40; Socapa, 9. Cort and whaleback, 10:30; Ottawa, Utica, Mercur, noon; White, 12:30 p. m.; Midland King, 1:30; Holmes, 2; Russia, 4:30; Portage, Troy, 7:20; Athabasca, Pope, Waldo, 8:30.

MACKINAW CITY, Mich.—Up—Flower, 9 Tuesday night; Castle Rhodes, 8 Wednesday morning; Griffin, 8:10; Major, 11:30; Clyde and consort, 1 p. m.; Bethlehem, Lehigh, 1:30; Langham, Harper and consort, 1:50; Leonard, 2; Frick, 3:10; Selwyn Eddy, 5:30. Down—Edwards and consort, 1:15 Wednesday morning; Steamer and consorts, 5:30; Brazil, 7:20; Case, 9; Conemaugh, 9:20; Hiawatha, 10; Lewiston, 10:30; Tionesta, 10:40; Huron, 11:15; Hand, 12:15 p. m.; Prince, 1:50; Wilkesbarre, 2:30. Calm, clear.

DETROIT, Mich.—Up—Harvey Brown, 9:20 Tuesday night; Massachusetts, Merrimac, 10; Yale, 10:30; Orinoco, Chieftain, 11:20; Whitaker, midnight; James Wallace, 1 Wednesday morning; Panther, 2:30; Christopher, 3:40; Castalia, Lyman Smith, Huntsman, 9:30; Old Glory, 11:20; Wisconsin, 12:20 p. m.; McWilliams, 1:20; Milwaukee, 2; Nelson Mills, Anderson, 4; Britannic, 8:20. Down—George King and barges, 10:40 Tuesday night; Tioga, midnight; Caledonia, 1 Wednesday morning; Pioneer, 2:15; Maruba, 2:30; Palmer, 3; Cormorant and barges, 7:30; Clement, 9; Shores, Rade, 10; Saranac, 10:40; Mars, 11:20; Chalk, 12; Walker, 12:40; Packer, Mohawk, Arizona, 1; S. K. Martin and barge, 1:30; Iroquois (steel), 2; Mecosta, C. W. Elphicke, Delaware, 2:30; Ste. Anna, Nyanza, Oliver, Goodyear, 3:20; Russel, 3:40; Argo and barge, Binghamton, 4; Lackawanna, 4:30; Hoyt, 5:30; Gould, 8; Yuma, Nys, 8:30; Robert Mills, 7; Oglebay, 7:15; Dalton, 7:30; Materna, 8:15.

Port of Chicago.

Arrived with coal—John Plankinton, Buffalo. With lumber—Ralph Connolly Brothers, Huron; Algoma Mills; Delta, Nahma. Light—P. D. Armour, Ravenscraig, South Chicago; Starrucca, Waukegan.

Two Burned to Death.

Reading, Pa., Dec. 6.—John Reedy, a civil war veteran, and his daughter, Ellen, were burned to death in a fire which destroyed their home on Neversink mountain. The charred bodies were found in the débris today.

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ARMOUR PICKS UP WHEAT.

PURCHASES FOOT UP TO OVER TWO MILLION BUSHELS.

Armour House Also Takes in Heavy Deliveries on December Contracts—Sharp Break Early on Sales of May Under Cover by That House, but Heavy Buying Follows—Corn Dull—Oats Move Up Sharply, with Patten Buying.

Wheat developed even greater strength yesterday than was shown the day before, prices marching steadily upward and closing near the best prices for the day after a sharp but short-lived setback in the first hour. Purchases of May by the Armour house, variously estimated from 2,500,000 bu to 3,500,000 bu, furnished the impetus for the last advance, running local shorts to cover after they had been led into indiscreet selling by the appearance of veiled Armour selling of May against open purchases of December on the first advance.

The market opened strong on the advance in the Liverpool and the Minneapolis markets, the report of unsettled weather in Argentina and the liberal sales of cash wheat to Buffalo mills the day before. First sales of December were at an advance of ½-⅝c at 87½c, and this affected the May as well.

News of probable deliveries of 2,000,000 bu on December contracts, the selling supposed to be for Armour, and profit taking by the northwest gave the market its quick turn in the other direction, December sinking to 86⅝c and May to 88¾c.

At this point the Armour purchases of May began in the open and followed the market up to 90c, when covering by shorts gave the price an additional advance to 90¼c. At the close December was ⅝-¾c higher for the day at 87¼c, May 1¼c higher at 90c, and July ½-⅝c higher at 85½c.

Better Export Wheat Demand.

Strong cash news apparently had much to do with the market's strength. Kansas City reported 125,000 bu No. 2 red being sacked for Mexico, Montreal a sale of 80,000 bu Manitobas at a smart advance from the prices ruling on Tuesday, and the final report from the seaboard claimed 320,000 bu was sold abroad, 90,000 bu of it by local houses. Omaha sold 50,000 bu for export via the gulf, said to be at better prices than obtainable here. Clearances at the seaboard were 521,000 bu wheat and flour.

More alleged Russian news leaked through the wire blockade via Antwerp, claiming wheat shipments were small, the market advancing, and the railroad strike spreading. Primary receipts were 250,000 bu less than last year at 722,000 bu, compared with 971,000 bu last year. The chief deficiency was at the northwest points, where the recent storm brought receipts down to 214 cars, against 737 cars last year.

Local cash prices were up with the futures and sales were 40,000 bu. Armour was an early buyer of December, taking 200,000 bu in one lump from Ware-Leland, and there was miscellaneous commission house buying in addition. Selling of May on the first advance by Armour started pit traders pounding the market. Comstock and Slaughter leading. From 88⅝c up open purchases by Valentine and by brokers overshadowed all other individual transactions on the buying side. On the advance selling was chiefly by private wire houses, led by Bartlett-Frazier, Logan-Bryan, Barrell, and Pringle-Fitch-Rankin.

Corn Market Drags Behind.

Corn lacked the snap of the leading market and in the absence of any impelling news, motive, or activity in the trade prices reflected the wheat strength with an advance of only ¼-⅛c in the May at 45¼c. The Decembers were stronger on the small receipts and the inability to get cars in many parts of the country to move the corn from the farms. Old December closed ⅜c higher and new ⅝-½c higher. There was a fairly good shipping demand, but sales were moderate at 175,000 bu, shippers not being disposed to offer freely.

Broad Gauge Oats Market.

Liberal shipping sales amounting to over 1,300,000 bu for the first two days of the week brought increased speculative interest into the oats pit and prices were advanced ⅝-⅝c, with the close at about best prices. Exporting houses still were in the cash market for oats, taking 300,000 bu early in the day, and total shipping sales were 400,000 bu. Receipts were moderate at 106 cars and only 81 cars are estimated for today. While some parts of Iowa were selling oats more freely, acceptances generally were light. Recent export sales were reflected by clearances of 817,000 bu. Buying by Milmine-Bodman, Bartlett-Frazier, and Bloom started the market up, and later there was buying by Leamson, Friedman, and Parker. Patten bought 500,000 bu through brokers. At 37⅜c for May there were liberal offerings from commission houses early, but the market was forced up to 33¾c shortly before the close. There was some hedging by the northwest through Daggett.

Lard and Ribs Higher.

Provisions were rather inactive early with a drooping tendency in pork, while lard and ribs ruled firm. Later a good advance was made in both lard and ribs on light pit offerings and judicious bidding, without much buying, by Gregson. This with moderate purchases by Tletjens and Roloson closed lard 5c to 12½c higher and ribs 5c higher. Pork after an early decline of 15c to 17½c closed steady to 2½c higher. Raymond was a good seller of the list on the advance, and Cudahy Packing company sold 500,000 May ribs early in the day. Local hog receipts were 47,000 and 40,000 are expected today. Prices in the yards were steady to strong. The leading western packing points received 113,500 hogs against 120,300 last year. Cash demand was good for lard and slow for meats.

Rye, Barley, and Seeds.

Rye ruled 1@1½c higher for cash, No. 2 selling at 68@70c. Futures were 1c higher, May selling at 72c and closing at 72¼c bid, and December at 68c bid. Receipts, 11 cars.

Barley was firm. Malting sales ranged from 36@46c, with fancy quoted up to 56c. Feed sold at 37c, and screenings from 24@ 25½c. Receipts, 70 cars.

Flaxseed was steady, No. 1 northwestern at $1.01½ and No. 1 at 95c. Receipts were nothing here, 28 cars at Minneapolis, and 14 cars at Duluth.

Timothy seed ruled steady. March, $3.45; January, $3.30; and December, $3.25. Country lots ranged from $1.50@3.25. December clover seed was $13.00, and bag lots $10.00 @13.00.

Range of Active Futures.

WHEAT.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close Dec. 6	Close Dec. 5
Dec.	86⅞	87¼	86⅞	87⅛	86¾-½
May	89¼	90	89¼	90	88⅝-90
July	84¾-84⅞	85½	84¾	85¼	84½-⅝

CORN.

Dec.	45⅞	46⅜	45⅞	46⅜	45⅞
May	45¼-45⅜	45⅝	45⅛	45⅜	45¼-⅜
July	45¼-45⅜	45⅝	45	45⅜	45-45¼
Sept.	45¾	45¾	45¾-¼	45¾	45¾

OATS.

Dec.	30⅝-30⅞	31¼	30¼	31¼	30¼
May	32⅝-32⅞	33½	32⅝-¾	33½	32⅝-¾
July	31¼	31¾	31¼-⅜	31¾	31⅛

MESS PORK.

Jan.	13.65	13.67½	13.50	13.67½	13.67½
May	13.57½	13.62½	13.42½	13.60	13.57½

LARD.

Dec.	7.45	7.45	7.42½	7.42½	7.30
May	7.17½	7.25	7.17½	7.22½	7.20
July	7.30	7.40	7.32½	7.40	7.35

SHORT RIBS.

Jan.	6.97½	7.05	6.97½	7.02½	6.97½
May	7.12½	7.20	7.12½	7.22½	7.17½

GRAIN INSPECTION, DECEMBER 6.

	No. 2 or better.	Standard.	No. 3.	Low grade.	Total.
Winter wheat	1	3	...	...	4
Spring wheat	2	...	...	...	2
Mixed wheat	4	...	12	12	28
Corn	...	...	98	38	136
Oats	11	...	43	43	106
Rye	8	...	3	...	11
Barley	...	...	5	65	70
Totals	24	11	164	158	357

Inspected out: Wheat—No. 2 hard, 64,800 bu; No. 3 red, 10,884 bu; No. 1 northern, 4,216 bu; No. 2, 1,337 bu; No. 3 yellow, 9,705 bu; No. 3 white, 2,237 bu; No. 3, 6,670 bu; No. 4, 9,314 bu. Loaded from unlicensed elevators: Wheat—Winter, 3 cars and 52,500 bu No. 2 hard, 8 cars No. 2 red, 2 cars No. 3 red, 10 cars No. 2 white, 2 cars No. 3 white, 10 cars No. 2, 39 cars and 80,000 bu No. 3, 4 cars No. 4. Oats—3 cars and 162,400 bu standard, 10 cars No. 2 white, 15 cars No. 3 white, 1 car No. 2. Rye—1 car No. 2. Barley—26 cars feed.

Cash Produce Transactions.

FLOUR—Prices steady, fair demand. Hard patents [favorite brands], $5.00@5.20; hard patents [ordinary brands], $4.60@4.80; hard patents [in sacks], $4.10@4.30; clear [export bags], $3.00@3.25; lower grades, $2.10@2.30; hard winter patents [export bags], $4.10@4.30; clear [export bags], $3.80@4.00; stock remained unchanged and all grades of hogs held firm. Hogs made a top of $5.05, the same as Tuesday. Heavy sorts were best sellers. Receipts, 45,000.

Choice steers held unchanged at fancy prices for fancy stuff. There was, however, more activity in medium sorts. The packers were free buyers, paying 10 and 15 cents lower prices. Receipts were 30,000.

The top for native lambs was $7.85, the same as paid on Tuesday. But values of sheep seemed a shade easier. Arrivals were late and trade was listless and unsatisfactory. Receipts, 22,000.

Cattle.

Of the buying interests, the packers were out for medium sorts of native cattle, while the shippers wanted choice stuff. The packers took their purchases at figures 10c and 15c lower. There were few steers in the $7.50 class.

Prices ruling for the day:

Choice to prime steers	$6.00@6.75
Common to good steers	4.40@5.70
Inferior to common steers	3.25@4.40
Good to fancy cows and heifers	3.00@5.40
Yearlings, good to choice	4.00@5.90
Fair to choice feeders	3.25@4.25
Fair to choice stockers	2.75@3.50
Good cutting to fair beef cows	2.25@2.85
Common to good canning cows	1.40@2.20
Bulls, common to good	2.00@4.00
Calves, common to good	3.75@5.50
Calves, good to fancy	5.50@7.50

Hogs.

Prime heavies and butcher weights both made the top of $5.05. Almost all the butcher hogs went at $5.00 or better. Among the heavy hogs, most of the sales were made at between $4.90 and $4.97. The packers came into the market actively late in the session, after waiting, apparently, for some drop. They took their purchases at steady prices.

Quotations for the day:

Good to choice butcher weights	$4.90@5.05
Good to choice shipping	4.90@5.00
Good to choice heavy mixed	4.87½@4.95
Heavy packing	4.83@4.85
Light mixed	4.80@4.90
Good to prime heavy	4.85@5.05
Good to choice pigs	4.35@4.95

Sheep.

Western sheep were off more than native stock. Good western ewes and wethers were fully 15c below Tuesday's prices, while natives, in some instances, showed a decline of 10c. In other cases they were steady.

The prevailing prices:

Fair to prime wethers	$5.40@5.85
Ewes, good to prime	5.00@5.30
Yearlings, good to choice	5.50@6.90
Culls, ewes, good to fair	3.00@4.90
Bucks and stags	3.50@4.25
Native lambs, poor to choice	5.75@7.85
Western lambs	5.00@
Feeding lambs	5.00@6.90
Fed lambs	6.50@7.85
Breeding ewes	4.00@5.00

INTERESTING TRADE GOSSIP ON 'CHANGE.

There was a fair scattered milling demand for wheat, with sales 42,000 bu, including 12,000 bu No. 2 red at May price f. o. b. and 5,000 bu No. 2 red at 2c over December in store. Offerings on the sample table were light and prices followed the futures. Omaha reported a sale of 50,000 bu No. 2 hard for export via the gulf at better prices than could have been obtained here. At Kansas City prices were ½@1c higher and St. Louis was ½c higher. A Kansas City message to Milmine-Bodman said a sacking house there had an order to sack 125,000 bu No. 2 red for Mexico. At Minneapolis No. 1 northern was 3¼ @3½c over December. Export demand for Manitobas was better, Montreal reporting 80,000 bu sold abroad at ⅝@1¼c higher prices than the day before, and bids on hand for 100,000 bu close to the market. New York finally reported 320,000 bu for export, of which local houses sold 97,000 bu. Comparative f. o. b. prices follow:

	Chicago.	St. Louis.	Kas. City.	Minneapolis.	Duluth.
No. 2 red	.88	@89¼	94	@96½	90¼@91
No. 3 red	.85	@88½	91½@94½	85 @89	@...
No. 2 hard	.85	@87⅝	84	@89½	83 @86
No. 3 hard	.83½@85½		82	@84	78 @82
No. 1 north	.87½@90		...	@...	*84½@85¼ 86@86⅜

*Duluth.

Open purchases of May wheat by the Armour house, variously placed by pit watchers at from 2,500,000 to 4,000,000 bu, created the impression in some quarters that the old Armour wheat deal is being rejuvenated. Valentine, when confronted with the estimate of purchases of 3,000,000 bu yesterday, did not deny the soft impeachment. Some traders have scented buying under cover for several days, and are inclined to think the Armour house carried a good sized line down on the decline which started early in November, the theory being that Valentine started to shake out tailers at that time and that the market was taken away from him by local bears. This not impossible theory that a deal still is slated is at least not weakened by the taking in of wheat by Armour on December contracts and the heavy charters made by that house the last few days, close to 1,000,000 bu having been chartered, part to go out immediately and part ostensibly to hold here or at Buffalo.

"The Minneapolis flour output last week decreased 55,285 brls," says the Northwestern Miller. "The quantity turned out was 351,200 brls, against 270,945 in 1904 and 410,130 in 1903. The output this week will probably approximate 390,000 brls, against 279,370 brls last year. Domestic flour sales were not quite so heavy, buyers seemingly well supplied for the present and showing no disposition to buy except at low prices. A majority of the mills, however, were able to dispose of almost their full output. Shipping directions are coming in slowly. If buyers do not order out their flour soon it will cause mills either to shut down or curtail their output, as their storage capacity is about exhausted. Special reports from forty-four mills outside of Minneapolis and Duluth, with a total daily capacity of 32,775 brls, show that last week they made 147,850 brls of flour, against 140,040 in 1904."

The Illinois Central railroad has failed to fall in line with the Great Western and the Chicago and Eastern Illinois in waiving the reconsigning charge of $2 on the first movement after grain reaches Chicago. Officials of the Illinois Central announced yesterday that car shortage made the move inadvisable at this time. No assurance was given that the move would be made after the car situation improves, but it was hinted that another hearing would be given the matter if brought up by the transportation department later.

The export demand for oats kept up yesterday, but it was harder to get offers, shippers having sold about all they dared to for the present, and sales were smaller at 400,000 bu. About 300,000 bu of the total was for export. Sales of corn were 175,000 bu. On the sample tables both oats and corn were ¼@½c higher. Demand for feed barley still was in evidence from exporters, and sales of 50,000 bu were reported. At the seaboard sales of 160,000 bu corn, 100,000 bu barley, and 200,000 bu oats were reported.

The expected heavy deliveries of wheat materialized yesterday to the amount of 1,300,000 bu, which went around the offices in the morning, on private delivery, and 940,000 bu of it landing with the Armour house. The rest went to Wrenn. Early reports were that there would be 2,000,000 bu delivered, but there must have been a hitch in the proceedings, as only one house, Bartlett-Frazier, sent out all the wheat delivered.

"There is no movement of wheat in Nebraska," said N. B. Updike, who was here from Omaha yesterday. "Corn is just getting ready to move. It has been too wet, but we expect a heavy movement from now on, as we are having no particular trouble in getting cars."

"There are not many oats in country elevators down state," said H. H. Randolph of Decatur, who was here yesterday. "A good many were moved out to make way for corn. A lot of oats have been moved, but there is a fair amount still back on the farms."

There was another charter for wheat yesterday, room for 150,000 bu being taken to Buffalo for loading today and to be moved east immediately.

Estimated receipts for today are: Wheat, 28 cars; corn, 222 cars; oats, 81 cars; rye, 3 cars; barley, 20 cars; hogs, 40,000 head.

DOMESTIC PRODUCE MARKET.

NEW YORK, Dec. 6.—Wheat—Receipts, 97,000 bu; exports, 267,264 bu. Sales, 3,250,000 bu; futures, 72,000 bu spot. Spot market firm; No. 2 red, 96⅞c elevator; No. 2 red, 98⅝c f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 northern Duluth, 95⅝c f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 hard Manitoba, nominal, f. o. b. afloat. Option sales included No. 2 red May, 93¼@94⅝c, 5-16c, closed 94⅛c; December, 95⅞@96⅝c, closed 96⅝c.

Corn—Receipts, 172,000 bu; exports, 133,016 bu; sales, 104,000 bu spot. Spot firm; No. 2, 60c old elevator and 56¼c f. o. b. afloat; No. 2 yellow, 53⅞c; No. 2 white, 53½c. Options closed net unchanged to 1¼c net higher; January closed 53½c; May closed 51c; December closed 56¼c.

Oats—Receipts, 85,300 bu; spot firm; mixed oats, 26@32 lbs, 36½c; natural white, 30@32 lbs, 37@ 38c; clipped white, 36@40 lbs, 38½@41c.

Cotton seed oil—Easy; prime crude nominal; do yellow, 29½@29¾c.

Sugar—Raw firm; fair refining, 3c; centrifugal, 96c test, 3 9-16c; molasses sugar, 2⅝c; refined, firm; crushed, 5.40c; powdered, 4.80c; granulated, 4.70c.

Quotations on Coffee.

Coffee—Spot Rio, steady; No. 7 invoice, 8¼c; mild dull. Futures opened steady and closed unchanged to 5 points higher on sales of 68,500 bags.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close Dec. 6.	Close Dec. 5.
December	6.50	6.50	6.45	6.50	6.50
January	6.55	6.55	6.50	6.55	6.55
March	6.70	6.70	6.60	6.70	6.70
May	6.85	6.85	6.80	6.85	6.85
July	7.00	7.00	6.95	7.00	7.00

Quotations on Cotton.

Cotton—Spot closed quiet, 25 points advance; middling uplands, $12.60; middling gulf, $12.85. Sales, 2,179 bales. Futures opened steady and closed steady.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close Dec. 6.	Close Dec. 5.
December	11.80	12.01	11.80	11.98	11.80
January	11.92	12.11	11.92	12.08	12.00
March	12.26	12.42	12.26	12.36	12.30
May	12.42	12.55	12.39	12.50	12.43
July	12.52	12.60	12.48	12.53	12.48

Cotton in Liverpool.

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 6.—Cotton—Spot, small business done; prices 7@9 points higher; American middling fair, 6.94d; good middling, 6.60d; middling, 6.42d; low middling, 6.26d; good ordinary, 6.08d; ordinary, 5.92d. Sales were 6,000 bales. Receipts, 19,000 bales, including 12,700 American. Futures opened firm and closed easy.

Western Grain Markets.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Dec. 6.—Wheat—Prices finished ⅛c off from the high point; December at 93⅜c and May at 87⅛c; cash was strong; No. 1 northern sold at 3@3¼c over December and No. 2 northern sold at 3@3½c over December and No. 2 northern from 1@1½c over. Flour—Quiet; first patents, $4.70@4.80; second patents, $4.50@4.60; first clears, $3.65@3.75; second clears, $2.45@2.55. Flax—Market strong, closing and to arrive at $1.01½. Bran—In bulk, $12.00.

DULUTH, Minn., Dec. 6.—Close: Wheat—To arrive, No. 1 northern, 93½c; No. 2 northern, 82⅝c; on track, No. 1 northern, 85¼c; No. 2 northern, 82⅜c; December, 83¾c; May, 87⅜c. Flax—To arrive, on track, and December, $1.01⅜; May, $1.06. Oats—To arrive and on track, 30¼c. Rye—62c. Barley—35@40c. Receipts—Wheat, $74,984 bu. Shipments—Wheat, 815,147 bu.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Dec. 6.—Close: Wheat—Higher; No. 2 red, cash, elevator, 91@93c; track, 94@96½c; December, 84½c; May, 89c; No. 2 hard, 85@87½c. Corn—Higher; No. 2, cash, 42½c; track, 43¼@44c; December, 41⅞c; May, 43¼c. Oats—Higher; No. 2, cash, 32c; track, 32½@33¼c; No. 2 white, 33½c; December, 31½c; May, 32⅝@32½c. Lead—Firm; $5.65@5.75. Spelter—Firm; $6.27½@6.30.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Dec. 6.—Close: Wheat—December, 80¼c; May, 82¼c. Cash: No. 2 hard, 82@86c; No. 3, 78@83c; No. 2 red, 90¼@91c; No. 3, 85@89c. Corn—December, 40⅝c; May and July, 40¼c. Cash: No. 2 mixed, 41¼c; No. 2 white, 41⅝c; No. 3, 41¼c. Oats—Steady; No. 2 white, 32c. Receipts—Wheat, 66 cars.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Dec. 6.—Wheat—½c higher; No. 1 northern, 87½@88¼c; No. 2 northern, 84@ 86½c; May, 90@90¼c. Rye—Firm; No. 1, 70c. Barley—Dull; No. 2, 54½@55c; sample, 37@54c. Oats—½c higher; standard, 32@32½c. Corn—Dull; May, 46½c bid.

PEORIA, Ill., Dec. 6.—Corn—Steady; No. 3 yellow, 43½c; No. 3, 43½c; No. 4, 42½c; no grade, 39@40¼c. Oats—Higher; No. 3 white, 31¼c; No. 4 white, 30¼@30½c. Whisky—On the basis of $1.30 for finished goods.

TOLEDO, O., Dec. 6.—Clover seed—Cash and December, $8.15; January, $8.22; February, $8.27; March, $8.32. Prime alsike—$8.05. Prime timothy—$1.55.

Foreign Produce Market.

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 6.—Wheat—Spot, steady; No. 2 red western winter, 6s 7d; futures, steady; December, 6s 11¾d; March, 6s 11¾d; May, 6s 10½d. Corn—Spot, quiet; American mixed, 4s 10¼d; futures, quiet; January, 4s 4¾d; March, 4s 4d.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK MARKET.

Liberal receipts of all sorts at the stockyards yesterday resulted in slightly lower prices for medium cattle and sheep. Choice sorts of all

IN THE FINANCIAL WORLD.

CHICAGO SUBWAY ADVANCED ON LOCAL EXCHANGE TO 51⅝.

Rumors Circulated That Price Is to Be Put Up 10 Points—Directors of the American Telephone and Telegraph Company Ask Authority to Issue $150,000,000 Convertible Bonds—General Electric Company to Increase Capital Stock by $11,674,500.

Chicago Subway was advanced on the local exchange yesterday to 51⅝. The buying was of the manipulative sort. It was accompanied by rumors that the price is to be advanced 10 points or more.

The wonder in the market for Subway is that the people behind the quotations never grow weary of paying commissions. There is nothing in the way of earnings on which to base an upward movement. A company which can't sell its bonds except at an absurdly low price and the management of which devotes itself largely to the unloading of watered stock cannot be expected to appeal to any other element than the purely speculative one. And the latter is not sure of what will happen to it, as witness the last rise to 87-½ and decline to 40.

It has been told frequently by Tunnel people that the bores under Chicago would relieve freight traffic on the streets and would avert much of the distress of strikes because of the ability to convey goods under ground. But although the company has been hauling dirt for a good many months and has made connection with large downtown business houses, still the individual firms which have the largest freight business are providing against teamsters' strikes by locating warehouses on the Chicago river and not relying on the tunnels. The last of these is Montgomery Ward & Co., one of the concerns which should be expected to be among the first to utilize the much talked of bores. Instead, it means to locate on river frontage.

It is believed it will be found in the end that the exaggeration of the expected volume of business for the Tunnel company is of the variety of talk heard when the stock was fictitiously advanced a short time ago. There is the transfer of freight from the railroads, which undoubtedly the tunnel company will get. This is now done in large part by private teaming companies which by this time would have been known as the wealthiest institutions in the city if there were any such huge profits in the business as the tunnel people talk of—that is, 6 per cent on $200,000,000 of capital, or something like $12,000,000 profit a year.

It is this kind of "estimates" that is offered as the basis for enthusiasm over the outlook for the Chicago Subway company. Recently an observer said that the only difficulty with the president of the Illinois Tunnel company was that "he has no appreciation of other people's intelligence."

National Biscuit common was but moderately active and the price sold off at the close. Quaker Oats was steady, while Boxboard issues were active and firm. The price changes, however, were fractional.

In the bond department $15,000 Chicago Consolidated Traction 4½s were marketed between 59 and 58.

May Issue $150,000,000 Bonds.

Directors of the American Telephone and Telegraph company have voted to ask the authority of stockholders for the issuance from time to time of $150,000,000 convertible bonds.

The form which future securities will take in the matter of providing new construction funds will, it is said, depend largely on money conditions at the time when action is taken, but should it be deemed wisest to issue convertible bonds the directors desire to be in position to act at once.

Market Conditions.

Call rates at 25 per cent in New York yesterday were in accordance with the information which from time to time has come from the best banking source in Wall street that such would be the case. It is now beginning to be doubted whether money will be easy again for some time. The thought that immediately after the turn of the year there would be a return of low rates is changing to the belief that high quotations may obtain throughout the month of January.

There are necessarily those sufficiently optimistic to believe that all present conditions may be safely disregarded in favor of future ones. The fallacy of this has been demonstrated, but when New York goes wild on the bull side of the market fallacies do not count until credit is cut off. Then relief is asked from Washington.

It was announced after the meeting of the Chicago Telephone directors that there was no immediate need of funds for the prosecution of the general work in hand.

General Financial News.

The recently elected directors of the St. Louis and San Francisco have organized by reélecting all the retiring officers.

Stockholders of the General Electric company have voted to increase the capital stock by $11,674,500.

Dividends Declared.

The Morris Essex railroad has declared a dividend of 3½ per cent to stock of record Jan. 2. Books close Dec. 9 and reopen Jan. 2.

Directors of the Crucible Steel company will meet Dec. 12, when action on resuming dividend payments on preferred stock is expected. The general expectation is for a quarterly dividend of 1 per cent.

Directors of the Chicago Telephone company have declared the regular quarterly dividend of 2½ per cent, payable Dec. 30. Books close Dec. 26 and reopen Jan. 2.

The Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fé railroad company has declared the usual semiannual dividend of 2½ per cent on its preferred stock, payable Feb. 1. Books close Jan. 4, reopen Feb. 2.

The American Smelting and Refining company declared its regular quarterly dividend of 1¾ per cent on its preferred stock, payable Jan. 2. Books close Dec. 15, reopen Jan. 3.

The regular quarterly dividend of 1¾ per cent also has been declared on its common stock, payable Jan. 16. Books close Dec. 28, reopen Jan. 16.

The New York, Lackawanna and Western railroad company has declared a dividend of 1¼ per cent, payable Jan. 2. Books close Dec. 15, reopen Jan. 2.

The American Beet Sugar company declared its regular quarterly dividend of 1½ per cent on preferred stock.

The directors of the Corn Exchange National bank declared a dividend of 3 per cent, payable Jan. 2, 1906, to stockholders of record Dec. 6.

Railway Earnings.

CHICAGO TERMINAL.

	Earnings.	Increase.
October, gross	$ 150,564	$ 18,334
Net	52,319	*2,376
From July 1—		
Gross	579,738	42,825
Net	222,359	50,309

MOBILE AND OHIO.

October, gross	790,910	5,968
Net	293,207	*39,604
From July 1—		
Gross	2,897,392	132,905
Net	892,222	*24,981

COLORADO SOUTHERN.

October, gross	1,060,988	169,515
Net	382,338	120,724
From July 1—		
Gross	1,090,212	751,494
Net	1,283,048	377,449

CINCINNATI, NEW ORLEANS AND TEXAS PACIFIC.

October, gross	710,650	54,068
Net	169,448	28,243
From July 1—		
Gross	2,083,533	203,846

Oil and Oil Certificates.

NEW YORK, Dec. 6.—Petroleum—Steady; refined, all ports, $7.55@7.60.

TOLEDO, O., Dec. 6.—Oil—North Lima, 94c; South Lima and Indiana, 86c.

WILMINGTON, N. C., Dec. 6.—Spirits turpentine—Nothing doing. Resin—Nothing doing. Tar—Firm, $1.80. Crude turpentine—Firm, $2.40, $3.90, and $3.90.

OIL CITY, Pa., Dec. 6.—Credit balances, $1.58. Shipments, 75,862 brls; average, 82,380 brls. Runs, 64,302 brls; average, 51,290 brls. Shipments, Lima, 86,583 brls; average, 74,800 brls. Runs, Lima, 44,824 brls; average, 30,209 brls.

Naval Stores.

CHARLESTON, S. C., Dec. 6.—Turpentine and resin—Nothing doing.

SAVANNAH, Ga., Dec. 6.—Turpentine—Quiet, 62c. Resin—Firm. Quote: A, B, C, $2.67½; D, $2.70; E, $2.75; F, $2.82½; G, $2.92½; H, $3.00; I, $3.12½; K, $3.87½; M, $4.37½; N, $4.75; W G, $5.00; W W, $5.25.

Net				648,832	64,236

*Decrease.

New York Curb Transactions.

	Shares.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Am. Can	800	9¾	9¾	9	9
Do pfd	2,000	70⅜	71¼	70⅜	71
Am. Tob	235	460	475	460	475
Am. W. Paper	100	5	5	5	5
Do pfd	5	33½	33½	33½	33½
Beth. Steel	150	34½	34½	34½	34½
Do pfd	200	91	91	90½	90½
B. C. Copper	600	8⅝	8¾	8⅝	8¾
Boston Con	21,500	22¾	24¼	22¾	23⅝
Cent. Fdy	1,700	6¾	6¾	6¾	6¾
Do pfd	1,600	27½	27½	26¾	27
Ch. Pneu. Tool	500	52	52⅝	52	52⅝
Dom. Cop	10,200	7-16	7-16	13-32	7-16
Chgo. Subway	8,400	51	51⅝	50¼	51¼
Granby	2,700	10¼	10¼	10	10
Greene Cop	8,100	27⅞	28⅛	27¾	27¾
Greene Gold	800	4½	4½	4½	4½
Greene Gold & S	900	7½	8	7½	7½
Guan	200	4⅝	4⅝	4½	4½
Hav. Tob	20	34¾	34¾	34¾	34¾
Do pfd	100	41	41	41	41
Int. Mar	200	13¼	13¼	13¼	13¼
Do pfd	2,300	36	36¼	35	35
Interboro	500	211½	212	211½	212
Lake S. Co	170	18⅜	18⅜	18⅜	18⅜
Lachivia Min	1,000	2⅞	2⅞	2⅞	2⅞
Mackay Co	1,900	51⅜	51⅝	50⅝	51
Do pfd	1,200	71⅜	71⅝	71½	71½
Man. Trans	100	2¼	2¼	2⅛	2⅛
Mitchell	1,500	9½	9½	9	9
Mines Sec	2,000	5-16	5-16	5-16	5-16
Monarch Min	400	13	13	12½	13
Nevada Utah	3,300	3¾	3¾	3¾	3¾
Nevada Con	2,000	9¾	10	9¾	10
Otis Elev	8	68	68	68	68
Royal B. P. pfd	50	112¾	113¾	112¾	112¾
Seaboard 2d	400	60	60¾	60	60¾
Standard Oil	26	670	674	670	674
Tenn. Copper	800	37¾	38	37	38
Utah Copper	1,205	32	33¾	31¾	31¾
Utah Apex	4,700	7⅜	7⅜	7¼	7¼
United Cop	11,200	36	37¼	36	37¼
Do pfd	100	78	78	78	78¼

BONDS.

$20,000 Jap. new 4½s, w. i.	87⅛	87¼	87¼	87⅛

*And interest.

CLOSING BID AND ASKED PRICES.

	Bid.	Asked.
Bay State Gas	5-16	⅜
Compressed Air	⅝	¾
Electric Boat	28	35
Do pfd	70	76
Electro Pneumatic	¼	¾
Electric Vehicle	14	17
Do pfd	18	22
N. Y. El. Veh. Trans	6¼	7¾
Otis Elevator pfd	107	110
Pittsburg and Bessemer	33	38
Do pfd	68	75
Standard Coupler	37	42
Do pfd	120	130
Safety	295	310

Foreign Exchange.

The foreign exchange market was steady and quiet with little or no change in quotations. Actual rates for bankers' 60 days sterling bills were 4.82¼@4.82⅝; demand, 4.8540@4.85⅛; cable transfers, 4.86@4.8610; commercial long, documents payment, 4.82@ 4.82¼; 90 days on bankers', 4.80¼@4.80⅝; short marks, 95 1-16 plus 1-32@95⅛; sight francs, 5.17½ less 1-32@5.17½; guilders, 40@ 40 1-16.

Following were the posted rates of the principal drawers of foreign exchange:

London	4.86¼
Berlin, reichsmarks	95¼
Paris, francs	5.16¼
Vienna, crowns	20.30
Scandinavian kroners	26.85
Italian lire	5.15⅝

Subtreasury and Exchange.

Since last Friday the New York subtreasury has gained $3,138,000 from the banks.

Exchange on New York in Chicago yesterday advanced from 25c to 35c premium. There was a fair demand. The market is presumably influenced by the high rates in Wall street.

Continental National.

Continental National bank stock advanced yesterday to 277, with no offerings.

Corn Products.

The story that the Corn Products company is to buy the Warner Starch company of Waukegan is not believed in any quarter.

Chicago Stocks.

The following were the sales on the Chicago stock exchange yesterday:

	Shares.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
American Can	250	9¼	9¼	9¼	9¼
American Can pfd	250	71	71	71	71
American Ship	25	56	56	56	56
Chicago Edison	59	161	161	161	161
Chi. Pneu. Tool	100	53	53	52	52
Chicago Subway	1,270	50⅜	51⅝	50½	51⅝
Chi. Title and T	263	117½	117½	117	117
Chi. & Oak Pk. El. pfd	10	23	23	23	23
Diamond Match	265	141¼	141¼	141¼

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DEATHS.

ALDRICH—Mrs. Sarah Aldrich, wife of the late Irvin Aldrich, aged 76. Funeral from 2037 Wilcox-av., Thursday, Dec. 7, carriages to Forest Home.

AMMUNDSEN—Helene Ammundsen, nee Nelson, Monday, Dec. 4, aged 29 years. Funeral from 754 Tripp-av., Thursday, Dec. 7, at 1 o'clock, to Mount Olive.

BARTH—Louise Barth, daughter of Paul and Paulina, Dec. 2, at Trinidad, Colo., aged 20 years. Funeral from 25 Gardner-st., Thursday, Dec. 7, at 9:30 a. m., to St. Michael's church, thence to St. Boniface cemetery.

BOYER—Samuel Boyer, aged 47, husband of Bridget, nee Hardiman, member of St. Cecelia's court, No. 57, C. O. F. Funeral notice hereafter.

BROOKS—George Brooks, aged 66 years, Dec. 5, 23 Elaine-pl. Funeral Thursday noon.

BUCHANAN—Frank Buchanan, aged 10 years, Dec. 5, son of John and Anna, nee Egan. Funeral Dec. 7, at 8:30 a. m., from 8626 Buffalo-av., to St. Patrick's church, thence by carriages to Mount Olivet.

CARNEY—Sadie M. Carney, beloved daughter of Peter and Mary Carney. Funeral from late residence, 46 Racine-av., Thursday, Dec. 7, at 10 a. m., to St. Vincent's church, by carriages to Calvary.

CHISHOLM—William Chisholm, suddenly of apoplexy, at Cleveland, O., aged 62 years.

CLIFFORD—Frances E. Clifford, wife of Luke Clifford, mother of Edna. Dec. 5, 1905. Burial from 1540 Michigan-av. to Mt. Olivet, Dec. 7, 9:30 a. m.

CONNORS—Patrick H. Connors, beloved husband of Josephine Connors, at the residence of his sister, Mrs. R. Kelly, 2236 S. Main. High mass and interment at Huron, S. D., Friday, Dec. 8, 1905. Madison, Wis., Helena and Livingston, Mont., papers please copy.

CONNORS—Mary Connors, wife of the late Edward Connors and mother of James E. Connors and the late Mrs. Catherine Furlong, Dec. 6, at her residence, 2078 S. Claremont-av. Funeral Saturday. Notice later.

COONEY—James J. Cooney, of Michigan City, Ind., Dec. 6, 1905, at the residence of his sister, Mrs. Ellen Hiru, 1495 N. Clark-st. Funeral notice later.

CRANE—Dec. 5, Elizabeth Adella Crane, second daughter of Sophia and the late Henry Austin Crane, aged 39 years, 11 months. Funeral Friday, Dec. 8, from the family home at Paw Paw, Mich.

CRONIN—Cornelius J. Cronin, husband of Catherine Cronin. Funeral Thursday, at 9 a. m., from 3041 Poplar-av., to St. Bridget's church, thence by carriages to Mount Olivet. Member of Policemen's Benevolent association.

DE LAND—Dec. 5, 11 p. m., after a long and painful illness, Mrs. Gertrude Manning De Land, beloved wife of W. P. De Land and sister of Mrs. Elizabeth Manning Sill. Brief services at residence, 4128 Berkeley-av., Friday afternoon, 3 o'clock. Funeral at Monroe, Mich., Friday, 12:30. Burial private.

DEMPSEY—James H. Dempsey, husband of Mary, Dec. 4, aged 58 years. Funeral Thursday, Dec. 7, at 12:30 p. m., from 190 W. Congress-st., to Forest Home.

FENTON—Aaron B. Fenton, formerly of Chicago, at residence, 7 Parkwood-av., Grand Rapids, Mich., on the 5th inst., aged 76 years. Burial at Cincinnati.

GODFREY—Joseph Godfrey, husband of Annie Godfrey, nee Schultz, Dec. 5, 1905, aged 55 years. Funeral Friday, Dec. 8, 1905, from 2518 Drake-av., Irving Park, at 12 o'clock, to St. Veronica church, thence by carriages to Norwood Park.

HANDLEY—Patrick Handley, Dec. 4, husband of the late Catherine. Funeral from 6048 State-st., Thursday, at 9 a. m., to St. Ann's church, thence to C. & N. W. depot, by cars to Calvary.

HOPKINS—Truman W. Hopkins, Dec. 5, 1905, at 18 N. Francisco-st., aged 27 years, beloved husband of Margaret, nee Coffey, brother of Mrs. F. L. Barlow of Dayton, O. Burial Thursday, North Lake, Wis.

HORAN—John Horan, brother of Martin. Funeral Thursday forenoon from 318 Loomis-st.

HOTCHKISS—Edward Hotchkiss, wife of Frank E. Funeral Thursday, Dec. 7, at 9 a. m., from 5145 Winchester-av., to St. Basil's church, to 40th-st. and Ashland-av. depot, thence by cars to Mount Olivet cemetery.

JONAS—Louis Jonas, husband of Eva M. Jonas, aged 77. Funeral from his late residence, 3560 Prairie-av., Thursday, Dec. 7, at 12 o'clock, to Mount Israel. Pittsburg papers please copy.

KREPLIN—Ruth Kreplin, daughter of Edwin and Louise, nee Strahl, aged 5 months. Funeral Thursday, at 12:30 p. m., from 12th and Macedonia-sts., to Forest Home cemetery.

KRUSE—Elsie Kruse, Dec. 5, daughter of Henry and Dora Kruse. Funeral Thursday, at 10:30 a. m., from 727 W. 47th-st., by carriages to Concordia cemetery.

LAIRD—John Laird, aged 65 years, Dec. 6, member of Auer Lodge No. 26, I. O. O. F., Louisville, Ky., and Cincinnati Post No. 67, G. A. R., Cincinnati, O. Funeral under auspices of I Will Lodge No. 141, I. O. O. F. Announcement at some late. Cincinnati and Louisville papers please copy.

LARSEN—Dec. 5, 1905, Elise Bernadine Larsen, aged 6½ years, mother of Anne Pernille Larsen. Funeral Saturday, Dec. 9, at 1 p. m., from late residence, 2166 W. Van Buren-st., by carriages to Mount Olive.

MADSEN—Meta K. Madsen, wife of Jorgen, aged 54 years. Funeral Sunday, Dec. 10, 1 p. m., from late residence, 326 W. Division-st., to church, corner Bickerdike and Superior-sts., thence by carriages to Mount Olivet cemetery.

MAHONEY—James Mahoney, Dec. 6, 1905, aged 88, brother of Kate, the late John, Thomas Garrett, and Cain Mahoney. Funeral from residence, 2083 W. Monroe-st., Friday, Dec. 8, at 8:30 a. m., to St. Mels' church, where high mass will be celebrated, thence by carriages to Calvary. County Cork, Ireland, papers please copy.

MILLS—Dec. 4, 1905, Thomas W. Mills, husband of Mary L. (nee Borthwick), at 60 Montana-st. Funeral Thursday, at 10 o'clock, by carriages to Forest Home cemetery.

M'DONALD—Elizabeth McDonald, daughter of Margaret and the late John. Funeral from 412 Austin-av., Saturday, Dec. 9, at 9 a. m., to St. Columbkill's church, thence by carriages to Calvary.

M'LAUGHLIN—Catherine McLaughlin (nee Gough), wife of Frank P. McLaughlin, aged 25 years. Funeral Thursday, Dec. 7, at 9:30 a. m., from 1353 Springfield-av., to the Church of the Epiphany, thence by carriages to Calvary.

NORDEN—Julius Norden, on Wednesday, Dec. 6, aged 71 years, father of Gabriel J., Meyer, Hanns E., and Eva Norden. Funeral Friday, Dec. 8, at 11 a. m., from his late residence, 5133 Michigan-blvd., to Graceland.

OLSON—John Olson, beloved husband of Ida Olson, father of Mrs. Anna Fiehr, Mrs. Olive Papenthien, Mrs. Hattie Sherman, Emil, Walter, and Harry Olson. Funeral Friday, 2 p. m., from late residence, 1422 Aldine-av., to Graceland.

PETERSEN—Mrs. Lena Emily Petersen (nee Nelsen), beloved wife of Charles J. Funeral Thursday, Dec. 7, from 65 N. Austin-blvd., Oak Center-av., thence by carriages to Mount Olive cemetery. Waseca (Minn.) papers please copy.

PEWESTORFF—Theodore Pewestorff, husband of Maggie, Dec. 4, 1905. Funeral from 390 W. Erie-st., Thursday, at 1 o'clock p. m., to Waldheim cemetery. May he rest in peace.

POLLE—Dec. 5, 1905, George G. Polle, husband of Emma Polle (nee Weinkind), aged 45 years. Funeral from 5133 Bishop-st., Friday, at 2 p. m., to Oakwoods.

REEDY—Irene Reedy, aged 4 years, daughter of Garrett and Mary D. (nee Peters). Funeral Thursday, 1 p. m., from 552 31st-st. Interment at St. Boniface.

RUNGE—Edmund Runge, aged 36 years, Dec. 4, husband of Elma (nee Erickson). Funeral Thursday, Dec. 1, at 1 p. m., from 599 Elm-st., Blue Island, by carriages to Mount Greenwood.

RYAN—Frank P., Dec. 6, 1905, beloved husband of Mary Ryan, nee Thomas, father of Thomas C., Frank P., John F., Mayme C., Edward M., William N., Charles J., and Ellen G. Ryan, aged 47 years. Funeral Friday, 9 a. m., from late residence, 85 Hudson-av., to Immaculate Conception church, thence by carriages to Calvary. Kenosha, Wis., papers please copy.

SCHIBILLA—Maria Schibilla (nee Miller), wife of Emanuel, aged 45 years. Funeral from 3525 S. Halsted-st., Thursday, Dec. 7, at 10 o'clock, to Waldheim cemetery.

SHEARMAN—Dec. 6, Mrs. Abbie A. Shearman, aged 80 years, at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. E. C. Ashley, 4615 Norwood-av. Funeral Friday, Dec. 8, 1:30 p. m. Interment at Mt. Gilead.

SIMON—Nicolas Simon, father of Mrs. G. F. Wyman (nee Simon), Belle Plaine, Minn. Burial Thursday, Dec. 7, from 294 W. 12th-st., at 10 a. m., to St. Francis' church, and from there to St. Boniface cemetery.

SMITH—John W. Smith, aged 67 years, beloved husband of the late Amanda M. Smith, and father of Arthur W. Smith. Funeral services at Rogerson's funeral chapel, 543 W. Madison-st., opposite Laflin-st., Thursday, 1 o'clock. Burial in Forest Home.

SMITH—Dec. 3, 728 W. 47th-st., George Smith, brother of Harry, aged 42 years. Funeral Thursday, at 9 a. m., to St. Gabriel's church, thence to 49th and Halsted-st. depot, by cars to Mount Olivet.

SWAN—Edwin A. Swan, Dec. 5, husband of Jennie F. Swan, 1020 E. Tripp-av. Funeral Thursday, 1 p. m., to Rosehill.

THOMAS—Grant Nathan Thomas, infant son of Nathan B. and Anna Maria Thomas, at their residence, La Grange, Ill., Dec. 5, 1905. Funeral from residence, 411 So. Madison-av., Thursday morning, at 10:30, Dec. 7. Chippewa Falls, Wis., papers please copy.

TUSKA—Charles Tuseling, aged 45, Dec. 5. Funeral at Lemont, Thursday p. m., Dec. 7, body at 251 Ogden-av.

VOGEL—Loretta O. Vogel, daughter of Joseph and Elizabeth (nee Retter). Funeral Thursday at 11 a. m., from 1431 E. 23d-pl. to St. Anthony's church, thence by cars to St. Mary's cemetery.

WESEMANN—Louis Wesemann, oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wesemann, Dec. 4. Funeral Thursday, Dec. 7, at 1 p. m., from late residence in La Grange, Ill. Interment in Proviso cemetery.

WHETSTONE—Sophy A. Whetstone, Dec. 5, aged 76, sister of H. W. Coolidge. Funeral services at the family residence, 2917 Groveland-av., Friday, at 12:30. Burial private.

WINTON—Mrs. Ann E. Winton, Dec. 4, 1905. Funeral from 7108 Stewart-av., Thursday, Dec. 7, at 10 a. m.

WURTZMAN—Sallie Wurtzman, mother of Mrs. Meier Steinfeld. Funeral Thursday, Dec. 7, at 10 a. m. sharp, from 637 N. Artesian-av., to Waldheim.

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OFFICIAL WEATHER FORECAST.

OFFICE OF CHIEF OF WEATHER BUREAU, Washington, D. C., Dec. 6.—Forecast for Thursday and Friday:

Illinois and Indiana—Fair Thursday and Friday, fresh southwest winds.

Ohio—Fair Thursday and Friday, fresh to brisk southwest to south winds.

Lower Michigan, Upper Michigan, and Wisconsin—Fair Thursday; Friday, partly cloudy, fresh to brisk southeast to south winds.

Missouri, Iowa, Nebraska, and North Dakota—Fair Thursday and Friday.

South Dakota—Fair Thursday, warmer in the central and east portions; Friday fair.

Minnesota—Fair Thursday, warmer in the north portion; Friday, fair, fresh to brisk southwest to west winds.

Place of observation.

Time taken: Dec. 6, 7 p. m.

	Thermometer.	Max. temp.	Direction of wind.	Precipitation 24 hours.	State of weather.
Abilene	44	44	W.	.10	Cloudy
Albany	34	34	S.	Tr.	Cloudy
Alpena	32	42	N.W.		Clear
Atlanta	44	46	S.W.		Fair
Amarillo	42	54	S.W.		Clear
Battleford	24	38	W.		Clear
Bismarck	24	36	W.		Clear
Buffalo	38	38	S.W.	.06	Fair
Boston	36	38	W.		Cloudy
Cairo	42	46	S.W.		Clear
Chicago	42	46	S.W.		Clear
Cincinnati	44	48	S.W.		Clear
Cleveland	38	42	S.W.		Clear
Denver	36	62	N.		Fair
Des Moines	42	52	S.W.		Clear
Dodge City	44	52	S.W.		Clear
Dubuque	40	50	S.W.		Clear
Duluth	30	34	S.W.		Clear
El Paso	52	58	S.W.		Clear
Escanaba	34	42	S.W.		Clear
Galveston	60	62	N.E.	.11	Cloudy
Grand Rapids	36	42	S.W.		Clear
Huron	28	38	N.W.		Clear
Indianapolis	42	48	S.W.		Clear
Jacksonville	50	60	S.		Cloudy
Kansas City	44	52	S.		Clear
Little Rock	44	44	N.		Cloudy
Los Angeles	54	66	N.W.		Clear
Marquette	34	40	E.	Tr.	Clear
Memphis	44	48	N.E.		Cloudy
Medicine Hat	28	42	S.		Clear
Milwaukee	40	46	W.		Clear
Minnedosa	22	40	W.		Clear
Montgomery	48	52	N.E.		Cloudy
Montreal	32	34	W.	.04	Snow
Moorehead	28	38	N.W.		Clear
Nashville	40	44	N.E.		Cloudy
New Orleans	52	56	N.E.		Cloudy
New York City	40	40	E.		Cloudy
Oklahoma	46	52	S.		Clear
Omaha	44	50	S.W.		Clear
Philadelphia	38	44	S.W.		Clear
Pittsburg	36	40	S.W.		Clear
San Francisco	58	62	N.W.		Clear
St. Louis	44	48	S.W.		Clear
St. Paul	28	36	S.W.		Clear
Salt Lake City	28	34	N.		Clear
San Antonio	52	60	N.	.14	Rain
San Diego	60	62	N.W.		Clear
Sault Ste. Marie	34	36	W.		Cloudy
Springfield, Ill.	40	46	S.W.		Clear
Springfield, Mo.	44	52	N.		Clear
Vicksburg	46	50	N.E.		Fair
Washington	34	40	S.		Clear
Winnipeg	28	38	S.		Clear

WEATHER IN CHICAGO.

The temperature as observed yesterday by L. Manasse, optician, 88 Madison street, Tribune building, was as follows: Thermometer—8 a. m., 33 degrees; 9 a. m., 35; 10 a. m., 38; 11 a. m., 41; 12 m., 45; 1 p. m., 45; 3 p. m., 47; 6 p. m., 42. Barometer—8 a. m., 29.08; 6 p. m., 29.02.

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THE FOLLOWING BURIAL PERMITS WERE issued yesterday by the health department:

Anderson, Amund P., 64; 62 Flournoy-st., Dec. 4.
Bergeron, Nellie, 19; 34 Shoito-av., Dec. 3.
Campbell, Charles G., 6; 6230 Wabash-av., Dec. 4.
Catanzaro, Vincenzo, 2 months; 217 Townsend-st., Dec. 5.
Catter, Samuel, 57; 89 Desplaines-st., Dec. 4.
Cianci, Daniel, 67; 240 N. Wood-st., Dec. 3.
Coddington, Elizabeth, 78; 1452 Cornelia-st., Dec. 4.
Dempsey, James H., 61; 190 W. Congress-st., Dec. 4.
Dode, Lena, 20; 66 Greenwich-st., Dec. 5.
Douglas, Royal S., 2 months; 200 W. Madison-st., Dec. 4.
Dyer, Mary, 73; 1747 Carroll-av., Dec. 4.
Eisler, Joseph E., 67; 1505 Wilson-av., Dec. 4.
Elmo, Thomas, 53; 2571 N. Hermitage-av., Dec. 2.
Federicka, Antonia, 6 months; 315 W. 12th-st., Dec. 4.
Garbe, Lizzie, 20; 14 Thomas-st., Dec. 3.
Gindi, Alexander, 32; Orleans and Illinois-sts., Dec. 4.
Glon, Sophie, 19 days; 644 N. Ashland-av, Dec. 4.
Harper, Samuel, 57; 2818 Loomis-st. Dec. 4.
Hayman, Joseph, 18; 428 Blue Island-st., Dec. 5.
Hendricks, Grace, 1; 1455 N. Humboldt-st., Dec. 4.
Hennebere, Joseph S., 55; Alexian brothers' hospital, Dec. 5.
Herzog, Eliza, 56; 399 Clybourn-av., Dec. 5.
Hogan, Mrs. E. N., 20; 730 61st-pl. Dec. 4.
Jonas, Louis, 77; 2560 Prairie-av., Dec. 5.
Kirchartz, Ludwig, 37; 4830 Center-av., Dec. 5.
Koseki, Wladyziaw, 45; 3 McHenry-st., Dec. 5.
Kramajuscas, Necias, 25; 1918 Blue Island-av., Dec. 4.
McCartney, Lizzie, 73; 588 Fullerton-av., Dec. 4.
McCullough, Margaret, 70; 1324 Seeley-av., Dec. 4.
Millman, Ana J., 47; 940 W. Van Buren-st., Dec. 4.

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Mills, Thomas W., 50; 60 W. Montana-st., Dec. 4.
Neimann, William, 10 months; 205 W. Congress-st., Dec. 6.
Nepras, John, 58; 678 May-st., Dec. 4.
Nowak, Annie, 7 days; 4531 Wentworth-av., Dec. 4.
Olsen, Annie, 22; 1030 Van Buren-st., Dec. 1.
Pencek, Felix, 20; 4834 Throop-st., Dec. 4.
Peters, Louis, 19; 402 Cleveland-av., Dec. 4.
Rice, baby, 1 day; 871 Commercial-av., Dec. 4.
Rosco, Bernadine, 8 months; 62 36th-pl., Dec. 5.
Roser, baby, 1 day; 284 W. Randolph-st., Dec. 5.
Schmidt, Magdalena, 75; 358 Larrabee-st., Dec. 4.
Stamp, Albert A., 29; 271 31st-st., Dec. 3.
Sugrue, Vlold C., 1; 8841 Saginaw-av., Dec. 4.
Surman, Martin W., 1; 462 Webster-av., Dec. 3.
Talbot, Herbert M., 31; 1244 42d-ct., Dec. 4.
Thole, George F., 49; 264 24th-st., Dec. 4.
Vogel, Loretta, 11 months; 1431 23d-st., Dec. 5.
Williamson, John, 47; 677 Austin-av., Dec. 3.
Wurtzman, Sallie, 76; 687 N. Artesian-av., Dec. 5.
Young, Moses, 60; 227 31st-st, Dec. 4.
Zchofeska, Peter, 70; 4836 Paulina-st., Dec. 5.

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST — TUESDAY EVENING, 5:30 TO 6 o'clock, between 80 Dearborn-st. and 36th-pl. and Michigan-av., a three tail sable fur neck piece. Will finder leave at Room 209, 80 Dearborn-st. and receive reward?

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LOST—BLACK FOX TERRIER PUPPY. PHONE Ashland 201. 310 Ashland-blvd.

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SITUATION WANTED—EXPER. NURSE (male) wishes to care for invalid; best city refs.; massage given. Address M 218, Tribune office.

SITUATION WANTED—BRICKLAYER, NONunion, either red or fire brick; steady job. Address S 555, Tribune office.

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SITUATION WANTED—BY YOUNG PRINTER, all around, neat,

WANTED—MALE HELP.

Boys.

CASH BOYS—PAST 14 YEARS OF AGE. APPLY WITH SCHOOL CERTIFICATES, 8:30 A. M., 8TH FLOOR, THE FAIR, STATE, ADAMS, AND DEARBORN-STS.

ERRAND BOY—15 YEARS OF AGE; MUST BE bright, energetic; good chance for promotion; state reference. Salary to begin, $5. Address F A 65, Tribune office.

ERRAND BOYS—BRIGHT, NEAT; MUST BE over 16 years old. Apply E. ARNSTEIN, 35th and Shield-av.

OFFICE BOY—BRIGHT, NEAT, AND ACTIVE, age 16; to answer buzzer and help get out mail; to start Monday morning. MR. SMITH, 1211 Monadnock Block.

OFFICE BOY—16 TO 18 YEARS; MUST LIVE ON South Side; good opportunity for bright boy; salary to start $5. Address C B 223, Tribune office.

OFFICE BOY—IN LAW WOFFICE. APPLY AT room 819, Monadnock Block.

PICKUP BOY IN WHOLESALE DRUG HOUSE. Address M 435, Tribune office.

SMART BOY—TO DO ERRANDS; ONE ACquainted with city. J. H. McNAMARA TRUNK STORE, 128 E. Monroe-st.

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WANTED—NORTH, SOUTH, and West Side wagon boys; must be 16 years of age. Apply Shipping Department. CARSON, PIRIE, SCOTT & CO., State and Madison-sts.

Trades.

BENCH HANDS—ACCUSTOMED TO SMALL, accurate work; must be first class in every respect. G. F. KRIESEL, 2d-st. and 5th-av. South, Minneapolis, Minn.

BOOKBINDER AND CUTTER—GOOD WAGES; steady work. Greeley Printery, 618 N. 2d-st., St. Louis, Mo.

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CHINA DECORATORS—FRUIT, FLOWER, AND conventional, for 1906; steady work; salary or piecework. White's Art Co., 380 Ontario-st.

COMPOSITOR—COMPETENT. WHO FULLY understands inks, paper stock and press feeding; eight hours; salary $22.50. Room 410, 172 E. Washington-st.

COMPOSITOR—
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COMPOSITORS — PERMANENT POSITIONS can be secured by first class men, nonunion, at STROMBERG, ALLEN & CO.'S, 304 Clark-st., Chicago.

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ENGRAVER — FOR SILVERWARE. APPLY at once. BOSTON STORE.

EXPERIENCED PICTURE FITTERS. APPLY BEFORE 10 A. M., 8TH FLOOR, STATE-ST. FRONT, THE FAIR, STATE, ADAMS, AND DEARBORN-STS.

FIRST CLASS MECHANICAL ARTIST. R. R. DONNELLEY & SONS CO., PLYMOUTH-PL. AND POLK-ST.

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Western Electric Company.

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House Servants.

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COMPETENT MAN AS COACHMAN AND FOR general work in a suburb. Apply 1450 Monadnock.

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AGENTS—RELIABLE MEN AND WOMEN FOR new premium books in English, German, Polish, Bohemian, Italian languages; Chicago and vicinity; best terms. MAI, 146 Wells-st.

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Agents Wanted.

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STENOGRAPHER AND BOOKKEEPER — Young man; $60 per month; good chance to grow up with a new business and have charge of the office. Address F A 333, Tribune office.

Miscellaneous.

A YOUNG MAN WITHOUT EXPERIENCE, about 22 years old, living at home, to learn the wholesale business. Reply in own handwriting, giving age, nationality, and salary expected. Address M 427, Tribune office.

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CORRESPONDENT—ONE WHO IS THOROUGHLY EXPERIENCED IN MAIL ORDER SALES DEPARTMENT; MUST HAVE HAD MAIL ORDER HOUSE TRAINING; GIVE REFERENCES, AGE. GOOD OPPORTUNITY RIGHT MAN. ADDRESS M 405, TRIBUNE OFFICE.

CRATERS AND PACKERS FOR TOYS—EXperienced. Also cabinetmakers. Apply before 10 a. m., 8th floor, State-st. front, THE FAIR, State, Adams, and Dearborn-sts.

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FLOOR MANAGERS—5 EXPERIENCED. APply C. M. JONES, Superintendent, Balcony office, THE FAIR, State, Adams, and Dearborn-sts.

HOUSEMAN—EXPERIENCED; ONE WHO IS looking for a permanent position; must have good past record; want no bums; must live in; state age, with room and board. Apply to McCLAIN, Hotel Del Prado, 50th and Washington-av.

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MANAGERS—TWO ENERGETIC, AMBITIOUS gentlemen as department managers in new bond, land, and mortgage company; must have ability and consider opportunity better than salary; state particulars. Address M 227, Tribune office.

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MONTGOMERY WARD & CO.

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TOY PACKERS, CRATERS, AND SHIPPERS—Apply before 10 a. m., 8th floor, State-st. front, THE FAIR, State, Adams, and Dearborn-sts.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED card writer; must be A1. Apply Superintendent. MANDEL BROTHERS.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED SALES MANAGERS to conduct special sales in the country. Apply Nonpareil Shop, 103 E. Washington-st.

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POSITIONS paying $1,000-$5,000 now open for salesmen, executive, clerical, and technical men.
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CONSTRUCTION FOREMAN — FOR PILE DRIVER.
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Office Help—Hotel Help—Miscellaneous.
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ASSISTANT BOOKKEEPER—YOUNG MAN; evenings; jewelry house; two flat janitors, one colored dining room man; must have references. Reliable Agency, 132 N. Clark.

BOOKKEEPER — EXP., $8.; $15-$18. Exp. general male office, $12-$15. 505, 171 Washington.

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WE PUT YOU TO WORK.
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WANTED—FEMALE HELP.

Bookkeepers and Clerks.

EXP. YOUNG LADY—FOR OFFICE WORK; state salary, experience, and age. Address M 181, Tribune office.

GIRLS FOR GENERAL OFFICE WORK. APply MR. SORTMAN, Chicago House Wrecking Co., 35th and Iron-sts.

GIRLS—TO DO OFFICE WORK; $6 TO START; must write a good hand. Apply 250-52 E. Madison-st.

OFFICE WORK—YOUNG LADY; MUST BE ACcurate and write a good hand. Bradley & Vrooman Co., 2629 Dearborn-st.

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OFFICE WORK—YOUNG LADY; PLAIN WRITer; bring reference; salary to start, $5. McKINLEY MUSIC CO., 361 Wabash-av.

SEVERAL LADIES—OVER 18 YEARS; PLAIN writers. Address T 185, Tribune office.

WE HAVE AN OPENING IN OUR OFFICE FOR SEVERAL YOUNG LADIES WHO WRITE A GOOD HAND; EXPERIENCE UNNECESSARY; AN EXCELLENT OPPORTUNITY FOR ADVANCEMENT. FIRST NATIONAL CO-OPERATIVE SOCIETY, JACKSON-BLVD. AND GREEN-ST.

YOUNG LADY EXPERIENCED IN OFFICE work; must be fine penman, well educated and well recommended; permanent position. Call Thursday between 12 and 1. ULLMAN & CO., 199 Market-st.

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Bookkeepers and Clerks.

WANTED—OFFICE CLERKS,
10 YOUNG LADIES,
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Positions are permanent, with $6.00 per week to start and fine opportunity for rapid advancement.
Those Showing ability and aptitude for the work can readily secure for themselves a substantial increase in salary.
Call immediately and ask for Mr. Palmer.
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Saleswomen, Solicitors, Etc.

WANTED—SALESWOMEN,
500 for
Kid Gloves,
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Books,
Candies,
Glassware,
Handkerchiefs,
Jewelry,
Toys.
Applications received from 8 a. m. to 6 p. m.
ROTHSCHILD & COMPANY,
State and Van Buren-sts.

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TOYS,
JEWELRY,
SILVERWARE,
DRUG SUNDRIES,
GLOVES,
HOSIERY,
RIBBONS,
SHOES AND RUBBERS,
GENTS' FURNISHINGS,
FANCY GOODS,
LINENS,
LADIES' UNDERWEAR,
SPORTING GOODS.
ALSO 200 YOUNG WOMEN [SELLING EXPERIENCE NOT NECESSARY] FOR ALL HOLIDAY GOODS, TOYS, DOLLS, ETC.
APPLY BEFORE 11 A. M., EIGHTH FLOOR, STATE-ST. FRONT, THE FAIR, STATE, ADAMS, AND DEARBORN-STS.

WANTED—200 SALESWOMEN for the following departments:
Shoes,
Gloves,
Books,
Jewelry,
Toys,
Silverware,
Leather Goods,
Handkercniefs,
Cutlery,
Fancy work,
Toilet Articles,
Candy,
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Apply ready for work Monday, 8:30, to Supt.
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WANTED—EXPERIENCED JEWELRY SALESlady; salary and percentage of sale. Milwaukee Avenue Co-operative Store.

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COMPETENT GERMAN GIRL FOR SECOND work in family of three adults. Address MRS. J. F. WILCOX, 308 N. Ottawa-st., Joliet, Ill.

COOK—FIRST CLASS, ALSO SECOND GIRL. Call 608 N. State-st.

COOK—COMPETENT; GERMAN PREFERRED; references; good wages. 4401 Grand-blvd.

COOK—FIRST CLASS; NO WASHING; $7; small family. 76 La Salle-st., Room 3.

EXPERIENCED YOUNG WOMAN COOK—Private family; no washing; $6 to $7. Address M 419, Tribune office.

FIRST CLASS GIRL, WHITE OR COLORED, from noon until after 6 o'clock dinner; good wages. Apply Flat 1, 337 Rush-st.

FIRST CLASS GIRL, GENERAL WORK; GOOD wages. 4834 Indiana-av., flat 3; bring references.

GIRL—GENERAL HOUSEWORK; FAMILY OF two; best wages. 4008 Vincennes-av., 3d flat.

GIRL—FOR GENERAL HOUSEWORK — NO washing; wages $5. 148 E. 50th-st.

GOOD, HONEST GIRL OR WOMAN—FOR DELIcacy store, 1527 Graceland-av., near Evanston-av.

HOUSEWORK—COMPETENT GIRL FOR GENeral housework; small flat; must be good cook; German preferred; good wages; refs. Apply janitress, 4042 Woodlawn-av.

HOUSEWORK—COMPETENT GIRL FOR GENeral housework; German or Swedish preferred; references required; good wages. Call until 3 p. m., 6006 Wabash-av., 2d flat.

HOUSEWORK—COMPETENT WOMAN FOR general; family two; must be good cook; good home. 2004 E. Diversey-blvd. Phone 706 L. V.

HOUSEWORK—GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEwork in family of 4. 720 Linden-av., Wilmette, Ill.

HOUSEWORK — EXPERIENCED GIRL FOR general housework; good wages. 225 W. Foster-av., near Lincoln-av.

HOUSEWORK—GOOD GENERAL HOUSEwork girl; 4 in family; flat; $5. 1206 E. Ravenswood Park. Morris Studio.

HOUSEWORK—GIRL FOR LIGHT HOUSEwork. Apply at once. 1547 Bradley-pl., near Halsted, 2d flat.

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HOUSEWORK—GOOD GIRL FOR GENERAL housework; good plain cook. Apply 4733 Lake-av.

HOUSEWORK—COMPETENT GIRL; GENERAL housework; small family. 3337 South Park-av.

HOUSEWORK—GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEwork; $5. Druggist, 5900 Wentworth-av.

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HOUSEWORK—BOHEMIAN GIRL FOR GENERal housework, small family. 801 S. Sawyer-av.

RELIABLE YOUNG WOMAN—AS COOK; PRIvate family, suburb; no washing; $6. C. L. MOULTON, 7 Randolph.

YOUNG, CLEAN, STRONG GIRL—TO ASSIST in housework; good home and good wages. 1691 Kenmore-av.

Housekeepers.

WOMAN AS WORKING HOUSEKEEPER. Protestant. Methodist preferred; no washing; a good home; $5. Address M 384, Tribune office.

Dressmakers, Milliners, Seamstresses.

APPRENTICE AND EXPERIENCED HELP. Dressmaker, 3758 Vernon-av.

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Nurses and Governesses.

GOVERNESS—FOR BOY OF 6; YOUNG WOMAN preferred; she must have some knowledge of music, able to sew, willing to spend winter in the South; English or German preferred. Reply, giving full particulars of experience and salary expected. Address M 448, Tribune office.

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NURSE—FOR CHILDREN. 477 42D-PL., NEAR Grand-blvd.

YOUNG GIRL—TO TAKE CARE OF BABY; GO home nights. 290 Sedgwick-st.

Girls.

A YOUNG WOMAN, 17 TO 19 YEARS OF AGE, for opening mail packages in our returned goods department; grammar school education and fair writing necessary; salary to start, $5.50; in answering state age, and education. Address C B 822, Tribune office.

WANTED—FEMALE HELP.

Girls.

CASH GIRLS AND BOYS—14 TO 16 YEARS OF age. Apply to Supt., from 8 a. m. to 6 p. m., with school certificates.
ROTHSCHILD & COMPANY,
State and Van Buren-sts.

CASH GIRLS PAST 14 YEARS OF AGE. APPLY WITH SCHOOL CERTIFICATES, 8:30 A. M., 8TH FLOOR, THE FAIR, STATE, ADAMS, AND DEARBORN-STS.

FILING GIRL—EXPERIENCED, AT ONCE; $5 to start, with chance of advancement; state references, etc. Address F A 466, Tribune office.

GIRL, 16 TO 18 YEARS OF AGE, FOR FILING, indexing, and general office work; must be good writer; salary $5 to $6; excellent chance for advancement; in answering state age and education. Address C B 524, Tribune office.

GIRL FOR PREMIUM STATION; EXPERIenced preferred. United Cigar Stores Co., 55 S. Water-st.

GIRLS—OVER 16 YEARS OF AGE, FOR INSPECTING, WRAPPING, AND OFFICE POSITIONS. EXPERIENCE NOT NECESSARY. GOOD, PERMANENT POSITIONS WITH RAPID ADVANCEMENT FOR THOSE WHO SHOW ABILITY. APPLY BEFORE 10 A. M., 8TH FLOOR, THE FAIR, STATE, ADAMS, AND DEARBORN-STS.

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GIRLS — TO SORT WASTE PAPER. ENGLEwood Paper Stock Co., 6109 S. May-st.

TICKET PRICER — GIRL FOR ENTRY AND ticket pricer; must be good writer; no experience necessary; salary if can qualify. If; opportunity for advancement; in answering, state age and education. Address C B 545, Tribune office.

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WANTED—BRIGHT GIRLS,
16 YEARS OF AGE,
for permanent positions in our various offices.
Salary $4.00 per week to start, with early advancement on demonstrating ability to handle more important work.
Call immediately and ask for Mr. Palmer.
SEARS, ROEBUCK & CO.,
96 Fulton-st.

WANTED—
25 WAITRESSES
for luncheon work; girls living at home preferred, and only those with first class references need apply. Call 8th floor.
CARSON, PIRIE, SCOTT & CO.,
State and Madison-sts.

Stenographers.

GOOD REMINGTON TYPEWRITER. ADDRESS M 178, TRIBUNE OFFICE.

STENOGRAPHER—FIRST CLASS, LADY; CORrect spelling absolutely necessary; prefer one who understands bookkeeping; no inexperienced or incompetent person need apply. Address F A 370, Tribune office.

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STENOGRAPHER—MUST BE GOOD FIGURER. Apply 9 o'clock. M. BLACK, 435 American Express Bldg.

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Miscellaneous.

A CAPABLE WOMAN CAN HAVE SITUATION with ESTABLISHED house if she is competent, and can give satisfactory references as to character. Address M 469, Tribune office.

DEMONSTRATOR AND STENOGRAPHER—Capable of selling a typewriter. Apply before 10 a. m., 8th floor, State-st. front, THE FAIR, State, Adams, and Dearborn-sts.

DEMONSTRATORS—EARNEST AND TRUSTworthy. Apply 255 Wabash-av., 3d floor.

EDUCATED, REFINED WOMAN FOR POSITION of trust; experience unnecessary if well recommended. Call after 9. 269 Dearborn-st., R. 412.

LADIES—18 TO 35 YRS. OF AGE, FOR WORK at our new Hawthorne factory; for work either days or nights; good chance to make money. Call any afternoon between 2 and 5 p. m., S. W. cor. 48th-av. and 34th-st. Western Elec. Co.

RULING MACHINE FEEDER — CAXTON Printing and Binding Co., 17 S. Jefferson-st.

WAITRESS — WAGES $20, BOARD, AND ROOM. Must be experienced. The Illinois Hotel, Galesburg, Ill.

YOUNG WOMEN
Who want work
May find
Congenial positions,
Refined fellow-workers,
Pleasant, healthy surroundings,
Steady employment,
Reasonable pay,
Good opportunities of promotion
With a company that watches over their welfare,
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President McCormick and the Board Members Inspect Work Done in River.

RUIN RULES OVER DOCKS.

Much of Private Frontage Badly Decayed—See Bridges and Bypass.

President R. R. McCormick and several members of the new drainage board made the first of a series of inspections of canal conditions yesterday afternoon. In one of the board's launches they navigated the main channel of the Chicago river as far as Twenty-second street studying the improvements inaugurated by the old board and those proposed to be carried out by the new body.

In the party which made the trip were President McCormick, Trustees E. I. Williams, Adolph Bergman, and Wallace G. Clark, Acting Chief Engineer George Wisner, Attorney James Todd, Assistant Attorney Seymour Jones, and Medill McCormick.

For a beginning in the course of instruction given the new trustees, Engineer Wisner, the commodore of the expedition, circumnavigated the dilapidated Dearborn street bridge, now swung idle in midstream pending the erection of the bascule bridge which, though not yet begun, is to be completed in 1907. The engineer pointed out to the president the rotting piles and crumbling abutments and the president began to show signs of dejection.

See Bypass at Adams Street.

Next to the nose of the launch was run in behind the pier of the Adams street bridge to show the trustees the bypass under the property of the Pennsylvania railway which the board constructed at immense expense in order to secure the necessary flow of water. Engineer Wisner indicated how the river is to be widened here by cutting back the shore line twenty feet from the Pennsylvania docks, thus doing away almost entirely with the bypass.

The launch plowed its way up the channel, the trustees expressing their astonishment at the general decay of the docks on either hand. President McCormick's dejection visibly deepened.

Above the St. Charles air line bridge the trustees disembarked and inspected the strip which the board by compromise has recently acquired from the Western Indiana railway on the east bank. The river will be widened twenty feet for half a block when this strip is pared from the bank.

Passing the Eighteenth street bridge Attorney Todd pointed out "Collision Bend," where it is extremely difficult for boats to avoid running into each other or the bridge. There will be no collisions when the board has widened the channel here a proposed ten feet.

Inspect New Abutments.

At Twenty-second street the party again landed and inspected the abutments of the new bridge at that point, which are now in process of construction.

"We took the trip merely to observe conditions at first hand," said President McCormick on his return. "We now know what the improvements are which are proposed and we are familiar with the premises where other improvements may be proposed. On another occasion we shall inspect the channel farther."

The board will meet today as a committee on rules.

MAN BROUGHT BACK TO LIFE AFTER HE WAS THOUGHT DEAD.

Henry Lindland Blows Out Gas, Found Unconscious at Hotel Northwest, and Declared Beyond Hope.

Given up as dead and lying unconscious for hours after inhaling escaping gas, Henry Lindland will depart today for his old home in Norway alive and in fairly good health.

Lindland came from Lansing, Ia., on Sunday and registered at the Hotel Northwest, Wells and Kinzie streets. He was assigned a room and spent the next days looking about the city. He did not appear at noon yesterday, and a chambermaid, noticing a strong odor of gas, the door was forced open. Dr. W. H. Vera, 25 Wells street, found Lindland apparently beyond help. He applied remedies and after working for hours brought the young man back to consciousness just as Chief Clerk Gunn was on the point of notifying the coroner.

Lindland admitted that he probably had blown the gas out. He had over $3,000 in cash and letters of credit in his possession, beside steamship transportation.

BRINGS EARLY DAYS TO MIND.

Illinois Society of Colonial Wars Has a Banquet and Elects Officers.

The Illinois Society of Colonial Wars last evening gave a banquet at the Auditorium in honor of the 285th anniversary of the first battle with the Indians. I. K. Boyesen, Alexander Finn, the Rev. Thaddeus A. Snively, and Prof. Edwin E. Sparks were the speakers.

State officers were elected as follows:
Governor—Moses J. Wentworth.
Deputy governor—Alfred L. Baker.
Lieutenant governor—E. D. Hurlburt.
Secretary—Roger Sherman.
Treasurer—Ralph C. Otis.
Registrar—T. R. Woodward.
Historian—John E. Case.
Chancellor—Judge Frank Baker.
Surgeon—James Nevins Hyde.

Mr. Wentworth succeeds Mr. Hobart C. Chatfield Taylor.

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We will also close out the balance of Harptoolian & Co.'s fine Oriental stock to-day, all rare and beautiful pieces, at about half the regular prices.

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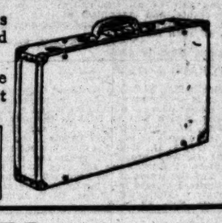
Leather Suit Cases — Sixth floor

GIVE him something in leather—something useful like a suit case for a remembrance that will bring him great pleasure and lasting satisfaction.

Genuine cowhide leather suit cases made over a steel frame, brassed lock and bolts, $4.00.

Complete assortments of cowhide and walrus seal leather suit cases at $10.00.



A most attractive display of fitted bags; also many other suggestions for holiday gifts.

Women's Waists In Very Correct Styles — Fourth floor

LET the material that a waist is made from be ever so pretty, yet if the waist lacks style then your satisfaction is but half complete. These waists we mention will give you full measure of satisfaction.

Waists of soft taffeta silk, elaborately trimmed in lace, made with long or elbow sleeves, pretty evening shades, $5.50

Women's nobby plaid waists, also taffeta silk waists, in serviceable shades and black, dainty lace waists made with long or elbow sleeves also—$5.00.

Women's tailored waists of taffeta flannel, in plaids and stripes, also plaid botany flannel waists modeled after shirts, with pocket on the side. $3.75.

Women's waists, a broken line in mohair and worsted, not all sizes in every style, but all sizes in the lot, to close, $1.50.

Women's lingerie waists trimmed in lace and tucks, $2.25

A Clock Is a Timely Suggestion — Fifth floor

"WHAT'S the time o' day?" Do not forget how often you look up at the clock face. Then why not give a clock for daily remembrance?

Mission mantel clocks at $1.25, $2.25, $3 & $3.50.
Mexican onyx clocks: $7.50, $15, $16.50 & $18.50.
Ormolu gold novelty clocks, 95c, $1.25, $1.50, $1.75, $2.00, $2.50 and up to $10.00.
Traveling clocks, $1.50, $2.00, $2.50, $3.50, $5.00 and up to $18.00.
Ormolu gold clocks, with best American movement, like illustration, $1.25.

Fine Furs Make Splendid Gifts — Fourth floor

THE store that is "Famous for its Furs" makes these holiday offerings, fully realizing that quality is always of the first consideration to buyers. The exclusive styles are the latest mode from the centers of fashion.

Special Offerings in Persian Lamb Jackets

Leipzig dyed Persian lamb blouse jacket, large leg-o'-mutton sleeves, handsome corded belts with heavy beaded linings, collar and revers of XXXX blended Baum marten, $165.00.

Leipzig dyed Persian lamb coats, 24 inches long, high collar, leg-o'-mutton sleeve; a garment of standard style and wearing quality, $150.00.

Leipzig dyed Persian lamb blouse, high collar and revers, silk corded belt, heavy satin lining, $140.00.

Persian paw sets, large flat muff and long satin throw to match—an exceptional price, set, $20.00.

Persian lamb muffs, in pillow and saddle shape, up from $15.00.

Persian lamb throws, in all lengths, up from $15.00.

In the "Holiday Gift Aisle"

ON the second floor seven attractive booths are arranged in the center aisle for the greater convenience of holiday shoppers. Pictures, china, jewelry, women's neckwear, dolls, handkerchiefs and leather goods. The purpose is to enable buyers to make a more leisurely selection from the particular goods that are displayed there.

Oriental Rugs The December Sale — Seventh floor

THE scope of the display of rare pieces from the old world is a wide one—nearly every worthy rug-making province is represented. Prices are reduced simply to give greater satisfaction during the sale.

Old mellow silky pieces, $8.00, $10.00.
Antique Persians, quite large, $15.00 to $20.00.
Ancient Kazaks, very large, $30.00 to $40.00.
Some fine Kirmanshahs in carpet sizes, about 9x12, $300.
Some very fine Serapis, 9x12, $130.00.

Included in the sale are a number of large and small American-made rugs and French Wiltons at attractive prices.

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Second floor, State street

A wonderful sale of coats

3,000 beautiful street and evening coats purchased at a great concession

TWO weeks ago we went to a prominent New York coat maker with a plain business proposition. We said to him: "We have purchased thousands of yards of high-grade coatings at an average saving of a full third. As your busy season is practically over, will you make these cloths into stylish coats and allow us the same ratio of discount?"

In order to hold his force of expert cutters and finishers together, he eagerly assented, and the entire collection of three thousand charming garments have arrived, and the greatest coat values ever offered will be placed on sale today in three specialty priced lots, as follows:

Group one: Values up to 22.50 at only $15

Tight-fitting and box coats, made of black kersey, cheviots and English mixtures; handsomely tailored and finished, in best tailor made style. Beautiful garments that are regularly sold as high as 22.50 offered for sale today at the very low price of $15.

Group two: Values up to $30 today at $20

Women's coats in black kerseys, broadcloth and novelty mixtures, fitted and box styles; handsome reds, plums and greens are included, also a number of theater and evening coats, which are worth as much as $30; they will be placed on special sale today at $20.

Group three: Values up to 37.50 today at $25

A most remarkable group of tailor made tight-fitting and box coats, in black kerseys, broadcloth and covert, including white, gray, tan, blue, plum and red evening coats, garments that are worth up to 37.50, placed on sale today at the remarkably low price of $25.

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The birth of a new store

WHILE we realize that thousands and thousands of Chicago people visited the Mandel store during the celebration of our Golden Jubilee, we feel convinced that many thousands more do not realize the importance of this splendid institution to this city. We will go one step further in saying that we feel satisfied that thousands of Chicago citizens have never even seen the new handsome twelve story Wabash avenue annex—this may seem strange, but it is really true.

The vast acreage of floor space contained in this magnificent new building makes it equivalent to a new store of the first magnitude, and it is the desire of the Mandel organization that all the people of Chicago, at least, should realize the tremendous importance of this splendid commercial enterprise.

It means that the scope of every department is practically doubled; it means the installation of welcome conveniences that go much towards the making of an ideal store and the providing of that absolute comfort in shopping which we have long striven to accomplish. Prominent are the men's cafe and tea rooms on the entire tenth floor, the rest room, parcel checking rooms, library, hospital, retiring rooms, local and long distance telephone booths and numerous other splendid innovations.

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